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CONVENTION ADOPTS RESOLUTIONS ON DEATH OF HARDING

DELEGATES NOW GETTING DOWN TO BUSINESS

FALL, SINCLAIR, AND DOHENEYS INDICTED AT WASHINGTON

McAdoo and Smith Lead off On First Ballot, With Cox Third, Underwood Fourth

MADISON SQUARE GARDEN, NEW YORK, June 30.—The convention was called to order at 10:30 a. m. and the first ballot was taken. The vote was badly split up among the various candidates and favorite sons.

McAdoo followers declare he will be nominated on about the 10th ballot.

FIRST BALLOT

Underwood	42½
Cox,	69
Davis	31
McAdoo	431½
Ralston	30
Robinson	21
Smith	241
Harrison	43½
Thompson	1
Brown	17
Saulsbury	7
Glass	25
Ritchie	21½
Bryan	18
Slizer	38
Governor Davis	20
Ferris	30
Sweet	12
Kendrick	6

SECOND BALLOT

Smith	251½
McAdoo	431

THIRD BLLAOT

Smith	255
McAdoo	437

FOURTH BALLOT

Smith	260
McAdoo	443 3-5
Glass	45
Underwood	41½
J. W. Davis	34
Ralston	30

FIFTH BALLOT

Smith	261
McAdoo	441 1-10
Underwood	41¾
J. W. Davis	34½
Glass	25
Ralston	30

SIXTH BALLOT

Smith	261½
McAdoo	443 1-10
Cox	59
J. W. Davis	55½
Glass	25
Ralston	30
Underwood	42½

Smith is showing slight but consistent gain. The convention may decide to recess from 4 until 8 p. m.

Smith Partisans Say Will Nominate Their Man on 10th

UNITED PRESS HEADQUARTERS, WALDORF HOTEL, NEW YORK, June 30.—With the democratic national convention ready to begin balloting today, managers of Governor Alfred E. Smith were claiming their candidate would become the party's candidate on the tenth ballot.

A total of 325, with a possibility of 270½ will be shown for the Governor on the first ballot they claim and this strength will be steadily increased as the voting continues.

On the tenth ballot, according to Smith managers, the Governor will receive the necessary two-thirds votes to make him the party's standard bearer.

Governor Smith is willing to run on the platform as it was adopted by the convention.

"That is the expression of the supreme body of the party" he said. "It must be accepted by every democrat. That includes me."

There was no lack of confidence in the Smith camp as the convention was ready to proceed with its most important business. Yesterday the Governor received a bill from a bill from a Brooklyn paper which had installed a radio receiving set in its auditorium, for a broken tube. A note explained that when the Governor was placed in nomination, the noise became so terrific that the vibrations broke the tube.

"Send them a check," he instructed his secretary, "and tell them to turn it off five minutes before the final result is announced. I don't want to pay for five tubes."

OFFICIAL LONE STAR TRAIL IN MEXIA TODAY

The Lone Star Trail is now marked from its eastern terminus at St. Augustine, Florida to the eastern city limits of Mexia. Secretary-Manager J. M. Hughes, with national headquarters at Winfield, La., finished the marking Saturday afternoon, and will push the work on through Waco to its western terminus at Los Angeles.

Every foot of the Lone Star Trail from Mexia to the Alabama line is a state and federal aid project and is either constructed or funds are in hand for immediate construction. Probably the most important link to this part of the state is the road from Fairfield to Palestine. We are informed that a deffinite location for the bridge across the Trinity river between these two cities will be made this week and the contract for construction of the road and bridge will be let within a few weeks. Funds for this link are in the hands of the road authorities of the two counties This will open all of East Texas over the Lone Star Trail through Mexia.

The Lone Star Trail enters Texas over the Old San Antonio road at Pendleton and passes through San Augustine, Nacogdoches, Alto, Rusk, Palestine, Fairfield, Teague and will go from here through Waco westward to El Paso and Los Angeles. This is the shortest route across the continent and is now more than 75 per cent hardsurfaced.

It is probable that the National office of the Lone Star Trail will be moved from Winnfield, La., to some Texas city.

The National officers are Senator Henry E. Hardtner, President Urania Lumber co., Alexander, La., president; Ben Johnson, President National Bank of Commerce, Shreveport, vice president; B. W. Bailey, President Bank of Winnfield, Treasurer; J. M. Hughes, Winnfield, La., Secretary-Manager.

Oil Show Huge Hit Featuring Safety Firs'

TULSA, Okla., June 28.—Tulsa's second annual International Petroleum Exposition has assumed rather unlooked for large proportions at this date. Even those in authority, shaping the destiny of the exposition aver that they are just a little amazed at the growth it has attained four months before the opening day.

Any small glimmer of doubt about the complete success of last year's congress, the manager states was dispelled when all of last year's exhibitors came back and with them many others who failed to get into the band wagon at the first annual.

More than ordinary attention will be given to "Safety First" education at this year's show, the manager says. The topic is of vital importance to the industry. Just at this present moment tentative safety orders issued by the state of Oklahoma is engaging the official scrutiny of the Mid-Continent Oil and Gas association. Practical men in the different departments of the oil industry are making a minute survey of these orders looking to their revision, a task that has been put up to the Mid-Continent organization. A summary of these findings together with the results reached by the Bureau of Mines engineers in a research now in progress will be elucidated at the exposition.

Held Sane by Day, but Insane at Night.

JAMES E. MACUSKER

One of the strangest cases on record is that of James E. Macusker, a Philadelphia publisher, who has been held by the courts there to be sane by day, but insane by night. So in the day time he directs his publications from his office, but is locked up at night in the Friends' Asylum at Frankfort, Pa. Macusker, formerly political leader, asserts he was "framed" by political enemies two years ago. Physicians, however, have declared him an incurable paranoiac, and it is upon this diagnosis that he is held.

ENTIRE FAMILY OF FIVE DEAD WITH HEADS CRUSHED

CHICAGO, June 30.—An entire family of five—Mr. and Mrs. Otto Eder and their three small boys—were found beaten to death in their suburban home near here early today. Heads of the victims apparently had been battered with a blunt instrument.

Immediately after finding of the bodies by neighbors, search was started for an acknowledged imbecile who had been living with the Eder family. The man's name was not known. The half-wit, according to neighbors has not been seen since Friday. The victims apparently had been dead more than a day.

A CUNNING THIEF

Percy Jones, job printer in the News office says the champion thief visited his garage Sunday night, and got off with several parts of his car, including the steering wheel, but left the key to the wheel, as Percy had that in his pocket—or the thief might have taken that too.

CHARGING BRIBERY CONSPIRACY AND ACCEPTING BRIBES

WASHINGTON, June 30.—A. B. Fall, Harry Sinclair, E. L. Doheny and son, Edward were indicted by a special grand jury investigating the leases of the naval oil reserves. Fall and both the Dohenys are charged on one count with conspiracy to defraud the United States, on the second count Fall will be charged with accepting a bribe, and the third count the Dohenys are charged with offering a bribe. On the fourth count Fall and Sinclair are charged with conspiracy to defraud.

BATTLE OF BALLOTS NOW ON; McADOO FORCES ARE ENCOURAGED

By A. GARLAND ADAIR

Special Staff Correspondent Mexia Daily News.

MADISON SQUARE GARDEN, New York, June 30.—With Smith, Underwood, and Cox virtually out, McAdoo forces are greatly encouraged and feel that this is to be a democratic year. He enters the days balloting stronger than at any time since the convention opened, with delegations from many states, uninstructed and who are to cast first votes for favorite sons, urging the states instructed for McAdoo to "stay in there and we'll finally come to you." Wall Street and the wets are frantically going through all political tactics to crush him.

Efforts are rumored of an attempt to bring up the Klan issue again but it is meeting with little encouragement.

Smith, who was reported to have said that he would withdraw if the Klan was not mentioned in the platform, now says he did not say anything to that effect, and some newspaper claims Saturday night was victory for him, with McAdoo showing up weaker than expected.

The day may tell the story, but the chances are that fifty ballots will be taken before the nominee is determined.

McADOO-SMITH

NEW YORK, June 30.—McAdoo is steadily holding his own; 431½ on first ballot and 442 on sixth. Smith gaining slightly too; 240½ on first ballot and 261 on sixth. No dark horse has yet forged away from the favorite son vote.

BIG FISH

HOUSTON, June 30.—C. L. Bering, armed with a tarpon fishing out fit "played" several human swimmers at a natatorium here and "landed" all but two of them in an exhibition. Each swimmer was allowed to swim half way across the pool before Bering started hauling them in.

Shuberts Put Interests in $25,000,000 Firm.

J. J. & LEE SHUBERT.

J. J. Shubert and his brother, Lee Shubert, of New York, America's foremost theatrical magnates, have merged all their vast theatrical interests into a $25,000,000 corporation. As a result, their chain of 86 playhouses, 30 of which are in New York, will be greatly increased and 25 per cent more plays will be produced.

DEATH TOLL IS 69 IN STORM IN OHIO

LORAINE, Ohio, June 30.—With the finding of six more bodies the death toll of the tornado reached 69. Property damage is $30,000,000. More than 300 were injured, many perhaps fatally. Governor Donahey is to ask for state wide aid. The militia is guarding the ruins.

FROM OBSCURITY TO PROMINENCE

NEW YORK, June 30.—Until yesterday Andy Erwin of Athens, Ga., and Larry Quigley of Chelsea, Mass. were just obscure Main street lawyers.

Today this pair of political infants are the outstanding figures of the democraitc convention. For they stood the convention on its head in Klan fight last Saturday night and Sunday morning.

A. H. Berry returned from Toronto, Canada, Saturday where he attended the Rotary Convention as a delegate.

Delegates Forget Politics While They Pay Homage To Nation's Dead Chieftain

MADISON SQUARE GARDEN, New York, June 30.—The democratic convention adopted the following resolution in memory of President Harding:

"In political campaigns the American people are divided into opposing parties; after the election they are as one man in their allegiance to the government and in loyalty to the nation's chief executive. As democrats we stand uncovered beside the grave of Warren G. Harding, late president of the United States, vie with his most devoted friends in expressions of regret at his untimely death, and share the sorrow that has been brought into his home."

SEYMOUR CHOICE "SHOCK" TO NO ONE BUT NOMINEE

Even Celebration Had Been Arranged Yet Party Leader Knew Nothing of Plan to End Deadlock.

Editor's Note.—While the Democrats of 1924 decided their Presidential nominee in tempestuous sessions in Madison Square Garden, a veteran of the Democratic Party, and a keen observer of political events of six decades, calls to mind the last memorable Democratic convention in New York, 56 years ago. It was as warm a battle, with a sudden and surprising decision. The narrator is [illegible] B. Stoll, 81 years old, "political sage of Indiana" and a member of the Staff of the South Bend Tribune. —International News Service.

By JOHN B. STOLL

Written for International News Service.

NEW YORK, June 30.—Fifty-six years ago a great convention in New York thrust a Presidential nomination upon Horatio Seymour, despite his emphatic protestation "Your candidate I cannot be."

It was the first Democratic convention after the war. Twenty-one ballots were cast and then the issue was decided by a coup d'etat.

The Democratic voting element had for this or that reason been divided into various groups. Of the active aspirants for the Presidential nomination George H. Pendleton "Gentleman George," as he was proudly called by admirers, was easily in the lead. As a pleasing public speaker he stood in high favor. He was not averse to injecting a little demagogy into his campaigning. In order to make himself the exponent of what was called a most righteous cause, he championed the proposition of paying the bonds issued during the rebellion with greenbacks. The doctrine easily found many adherents.

There is little doubt that if the Republicans had not chosen Ulysses S. Grant as their standard bearer for 1868 the Democrats would assuredly have named that brilliant farrior as their nominee. There was a sharp contest between Democrats and Republicans as to which party should have for its leader General Grant, who up to that time had voted for only one candidate for the Presidency—James Buchanan, in 1856.

A formidable element favored the nomination of Chief Justice Salmon P. Chase, originally a Democrat, temporarily a Republican on the slavery question, fundamentally a believer in Jeffersonian Democracy. They seemed to have forgotten that in his teachings of democracy Samuel J. Tilden had placed a ban on any judicial officer seeking nomination to a political office.

The movement to nominate Chase had been skillfully planned. When it became apparent that Pendleton's chances had completely withered, his name was withdrawn. The highest point reached was 156½ votes. General Winfield Scott Hancock and Thomas A. Hendricks had gained steadily until the twenty-first ballot was passed.

General Horatio Seymour was permanent chairman of the convention, which was called in Tammany Hall, on Fourteenth street, July 4.

Formally placed in nomination for the Presidency was Pendleton, Andrew Johnson, of Tennessee; General Winfield Scott Hancock, of Pennsylvania; Sanford E. Church, of New York; Asa Packer, of Pennsylvania; Joel Parker, of New Jersey; James E. English, of Connecticut, and James R. Doolittle, of Wisconsin.

Though not formally placed in nomination Thomas A. Hendricks received 2½ votes from the very beginning and kept on gaining to the last.

After the twenty-first ballot had been tabulated the impression prevailed among a number of delegates that the following ballot would result in the nomination of either Hancock or Hendricks. But something was going on within two circles of manipulating spirts. One of these circles had in contemplation the nomination of Chief Justice Chase; the other, guided by the genius of Samuel J. Tilden, had satisfied itself that this was the psychological moment to spring upon the tired-out balloters the magic name of Horatio Seymour.

Called away from the chair to confer on some important matters, Seymour's absence was deemed an opportune moment to enact a coup d'etat. An orator of engaging voice gained recognition by the temporary chairman and pointed out Democratic duty and responsibility. His eloquence and logic soon won the hearts of his hearers. In terms both pathetic and persuasive the orator moved that Horatio Seymour be declared the unanimous choice of the convention for President of the United States.

No pen, however gifted its holder, has ever succeeded in describing adequately the scene that followed the offering of this momentous proposition. Forgeting whatever preferences they may have cherished in their hearts, the delegates arose en masse and joined in a booming shout of approval. Long minutes and vigorous appeals for order were required before the deafening uproar could be subdued so as to enable the returned presiding officer to make himself heard.

Deeply affected by what had transpired, General Seymour finally succeeded in getting a hearing. Deprecating what had occurred during his absence, he implored his hearers to reconsider their action and proceed to place in nomination a standard bearer physically capable of engaging in a vigorous campaign. But the convention would not take "no" for an answer. The twenty-second ballot resulted in a unanimous vote (317) for Seymour.

How well and systematically the Seymour episode had been planed may be conjectured from an incident immediately following the Seymour demonstration. Outside Tammany Hall a vast multitude had gathered to learn the latest developments. Banners and transparencies heralding Seymour's nomination were abundantly in evidence and proudly held aloft. Wondering how such work could be done in so short a time, one of the Indiana delegates, Major Samuel W. Sprott, of DeKalb County, stepped up to one of these banners.

Running his finger over the lettering he exclaimed: "Begad, it's dry-"

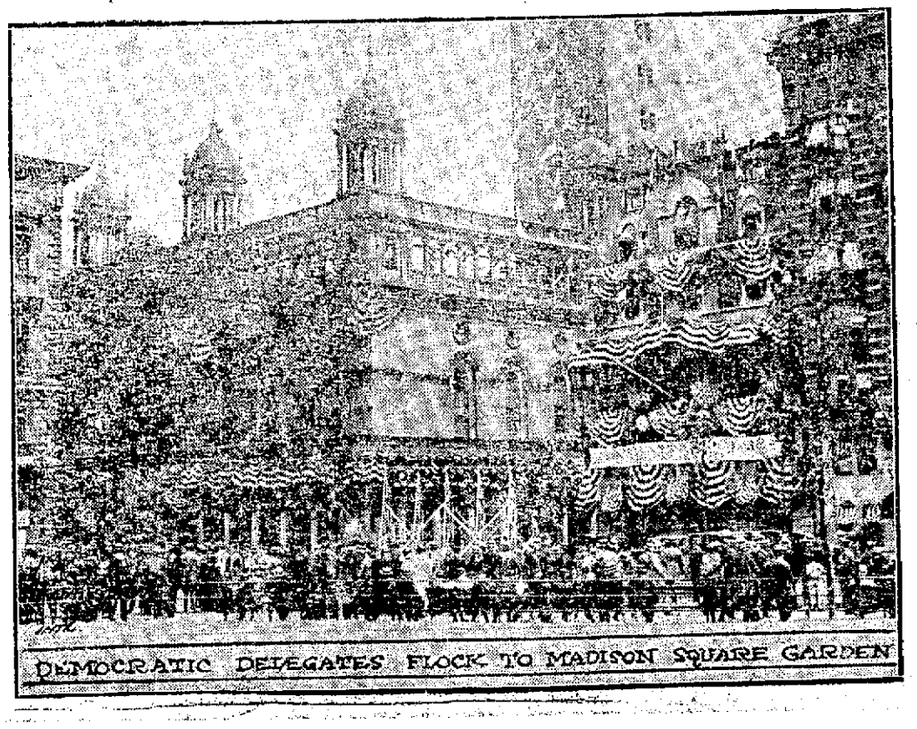
THE WEATHER.

East Texas.—Tonight and Tuesday partly cloudy; scattered thundershowers this afternoon or tonight in northeast. Cooler in east and south tonight except in lower Rio Grande Valley. Warmer in north Tuesday.

West Texas.—Tonight partly cloudy, probably thundershowers in extreme west. Cooler in extreme southwest tonight. Warmer in north Tuesday.

Madison Square Garden.—Tonight unsettled. Tuesday very doubtful.

WHEREBIG CONVENTION IS BEING HELD.



DEMOCRATIC DELEGATES FLOCK TO MADISON SQUARE GARDEN

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The Revival Has Closed---Total Of Sixty Five Confessions

TWENTY-TWO FOR C. P. CHURCH AND SOME MORE

The revival at the Central Presbyterian church closed Sunday night with a forciful appeal from Dr. Young Twenty-five people decided for Christ and several hundreds of church members signed cards rededicating their lives to Christ. A total of sixty-five people signed cards during the meeting to accept Christ and unite with the different churches of Mexia. Twenty-five of these decisions were men. Seventeen members were welcomed into the Central Presbyterian Church Sunday morning making a total of twenty-two additions up to the present time, making total of fifty new members since January 1st. About twenty more have signed cards promising to join the church.

Dr. Young and Mr Croxton left with the heartiest expression of gratitude from the people of Mexia who had attended the services. Mr. Croxton is an artist and with his splendid voice has rendered many solos which have reached the heart. Dr. Young's sermons have all been of a more positive, clear cut, forceful type, as evidenced by the fact that so many red blooded men were reached Dr. Young made it clear in coming to Mexia that he was not an evangelist but a pastor. Sensationalist, and mass psychology were not part of his methods, but rather clear logical, systematic presentation of the great central facts and fundamentals of the Christian faith.

The results secured are very gratifying to the pastor and officers of the church. Hundreds of men and women wavering somewhat in their faith in Christian certainties were strengthened. Sixty five souls were reached for Christ Over one hundred men and women were interviewed by personal workers regarding their souls salvation a large portion of this number being visited also personally by Dr. Young and the pastor, Rev Aubrey Not all of this number were brought to a decision but many of them were drawn nearer to God and can be led later to Christ.

In a meeting of the Session at the close of the evening service one of the elders stated that he could not remember when in the last ten or twelve years the church had ever had such a splendid meeting. Another elder stated that not for forty-four years since his connection with the church had he known it in such splendid condition, the results coming largely from the revival.

The primary purpose in bringing Dr. Young for the meeting was to demonstrate and assist in oranizing the whole church on an evangelistic basis, the work to be continually carried on during the year. The pastor and officers state that they feel that such a foundation has been laid that this goal can now be realized.

The pastor, Rev. Aubrey, in speaking of the meeting stated that never had he known a man of such great power and ability in personal work. He stated that Dr Young had as his motto, "Write new business for God every day," and that he lived up to his motto. During his stay in Mexia instead of retiring to rest he could be found going everywhere to talk with men and women, in their homes stores, automobiles, on the streets, anywhere the opportunity afforded to reach them for Christ.

The members of the Rotary Club and the Lion's Club join in expression of appreciation of his splendid messages to them during his visit. Dr. Young in parting said that never had he enjoyed more the spirit of hospitality and cooperation which had been shown in Mexia. Rev. Aubrey, pastor of the church, said that the support received from the people of the churches and the town was splendid and was greatly appreciated, and that the hoped the meeting had meant the uplift and inspiration of many individuals and the community as a whole.

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SCENE AT DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVENTION

DEMONSTRATION WHEN SEN. PHELAN, OF CAL, NOMINATED WM G. McADOO.

Aftermath Of Ohio's Great Storm; Many Dead And Injured

LORAIN, Ohio, June 30—Amidst the shattered wreckage of her northern towns and vilages, Ohio today sought the full death toll from the ten minutes tornado which devastated Lorain and Sandusky Saturday night. Approximately 80 lives were lost in the storm, according to the latest checkup.

Bayonets of national guardsmen gleamed among the ruins here, visible evidence of the martial law imposed in the wake of the storm to check vandalism and the threatened spread of small police.

As though artillary duels of Flanders had swept the lake front, trees lay uprooted, houses were in tangled heaps, roads impassable, church steeples toppled, while through the area of destruction wan-eyed relatives escorted by armed soldiers, still sought piteously for missing relatives and friends.

Lorain bore the full brunt of the sudden storm which struck first at Attica, passing off to Sandusky, to Lorain and spending its fury across the orchards of west Dover and Avon

In the wake of the Ohio tornado—Lorain—fifty-nine known dead

Property damage estimated $15,000,000.

Sandusky—Seven dead, damage estimated $1,000,00

Mantua—Three killed in collopse of barns.

Avon—(near Lorain)—Three killed

Cleveland—Two killed

Akron—One killed

Morina—Two swept from flooded bridge and drowned.

With the coming of daylight today, search for the bodies of more victims believed buried in ruined buildings, was renewed while a list of the injured being care-for in hospitals at Cleveland, Lorain and Lyria had mounted to 300. Many others were treated in private homes.

Property damage at Lorain amounted to approximately $30,000,000 five thousand were homeless

Brigadier General J. R. McQuigg and his Cleveland troops was in military command of the city Governor Donahey was here to organize and direct relief and reconstruction He was but a great heap of brick and mortar The steeple of another had been hurled 100 feet from the edifice. On the city's main street, the front of an apartment house was shaved off, laying bare the front rooms with the furniture undisturbed.

The death toll in Lorain mounted to 60 with the death of three patients in hospitals, and the finding of six more bodies.

As rescue work proceeded rapidly under the leadership of the national guard and Red Cross, Governor Vic Donahey called a conference in Columbus for three o'clock to make a program for state-wide relief.

"The situation beggars description," Governor Donahey wired his secretary Jacob Muckstroth, at Columbus. "Conditions here are not understood by the citizens of Ohio Call immediate conference of prominent Columbus business men to confer with me at three p. m. today for program of statewide relief for Lorain. Order immediately 500 oil stoves, two or three burners and make arrangements for delivery soon as possible here."

"The state guard and naval reserves are doing splendid work here under Brigadier General McQuigg. I am leaving Lorain at once by automobile for Columbus."

The Governor indicated that following the conference he will issue a proclamation calling on the entire state to come to the relief of stricken Lorain.

BISHOP T. S. GAYLOR OF TENN, WHO OPENED SECOND DAY OF CONVENTION WITH PRAYER.

to announce today whether he would ask the state emergency board for an appropriation

Seven were killed at Sandusky, where the tornado cut a swath half a mile wide as it swept through the city to the bay Property damage there was in the millions, with 200 to 500 homeless

All Ohio seemed to be contributing today to the relief fund and the stores of clothing and provisions which were pouring in by train, truck and lake vessels

Dawn Sunday found weird evidence of the tornado's pranks on every hand It had sent a huge 100-foot smokestack toppling to slice off the rear of the Lorain high school.

Two hundred automobiles were flipped here and there for 35 blocks along Broadway, some overturned some driven into the fronts of office buildings and shops. A metal roof was whipped from a dwelling and wrapped around a distant telephone pole.

One of Lorain's new churches was

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Mexia, Texas, June 30, 1924.

To My Friends, the Voters of Mexia:

I have read very carefully the Charter which will be submitted to the vote of the citizens of Mexia on Monday, July 7th. I think that the Charter shows that the members of the Charter Commission have worked very diligently in drafting such a Charter as is needed by the City of Mexia and they have been successful in providing for all its needs and in putting Mexia in a position to meet any contigencies that might arise.

The adoption of the Charter means a step forward to our city and every one wants to see Mexia progress, grow and become a beter place in which to live.

I earnestly appeal to you to go to the polls on next Monday, July 7th, and vote for the adoption of the Charter and in doing so, you will cast a vote for a BETTER AND GREATER MEXIA.

Very truly yours,
J. K. HUGHES.

Rough Dry.

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THE COVER'D WAGON

Perfect Realism, Strong Love Theme, Colossal Out Door Scenes, Dramatic Action and Thrills, Happily Blended In Big Production.

One of the greatest photoplays ever made, will be the popular verdict when the motion picture public sees James Cruze's colossal Paramount production, "The Covered Wagon" which will be the feature at the National theatre this week. That is the prediction made not only by Mr. Cruze himself, but by those who have seen the picture and who hail it for its bigness, impressiveness and extraordinary realism.

Perfect realism, a strong love theme, tremendous dramatic action, thrills that are utterly unlike the ordinary sort; a background of real newness to the screen, where the camera has never before been ground; all these facts, coupled with the splendid cast of virtually 3,000 men and women, cerainly indicate a picture that is worthy of any director's enthusiasm. And James Cruze is enthusiastic. He has believed in the picture from the start and with each day of shooting, sometimes under conditions almost unbelievably difficult, his enthusiasm has grown. Nor is he alone in his belief, for every person in the drama of the old time western days shares his convictions.

The story with the vast sweep of the western plains for background, across which wind the "covered wagons" with their human freight, is essentially good picture material. The plot is dramatic with the interest well sustained, and the story unfolds like a stirring panorama of an earlier day.

The theme deals with adventures of a gallant young officer of the American army forced by a rival's enmity to clear his name of an undeserved stain, that of being a cattle-thief, and to win his bride under heavy difficulties. J. Warren Kerrigan is the man, Lois Wilson, the girl, and Alan Hale, the scheming villian. This trio does the major part of the acting, and to them along with the director, goes the credit for this superb production. Others in the cast are Charles Ogle, Ernest Torrence, Tully Marshall, Guy Oliver and John Fox.

The action is exceptionally thrilling, the incidents being dramatic and impressive. These include the fording of the Kaw River by the wagon train, the Indian attack and massacre, the prairie fire, the buffalo hunt, the fierce battle between Banion and Woodhull, the parting of the trains and tragic death of Woodhull. The action is speedy and thrilling.

Some Big Scenes.

Here are some of the big scenes in "The Covered Wagon."

The great wagon train leaving Westport Landing.

The fording of the Kaw River by wagon train.

The attack by Indians.

The massacre of the pioneers.

The prairie fire.

Molly's wild ride and rescue by Banion.

The scenes at Fort Bridger.

The parting of the train—for Oregon and California.

The fight between Banion and Woodhull.

The great buffalo hunt.

The death of Woodhull.

Spy Lincoln Is Involved in Fascisti Murder.

I. T. T. LINCOLN

Ignatius T. Trebitsch-Lincoln, famous international spy, has been identified as "Otto Chirzel," under arrest in Rome on a charge of being involved in the murder of the millionaire Socialist Deputy, Giacomo Matteotti. Lincoln, born a Hungarian Jew, has been an Anglican curate, British Member of Parliament, and German spy. He was held by the Federal authorities in New York during the World War.

Aggressive War On The Fever Tick

FORT WORTH, June 30.—Cattle dipping in Texas to eradicate fever ticks was more active during May than it has been in several months, according to J. E. Boog-Scott, chairman of the live stock sanitary commission. The work is being done jointly by the commission and the Bureau of Animal Industry.

Work conducted in 157 counties resulted in dipping 2,072,904 head in 74,084 herds. Cattlemen throughout the state are working willingly as a rule, the commissioner said, and the campaign is gaining ground rapidly.

"During the next few months cattle dipping will continue actively," he said. "It is anticipated that several counties will be entirely cleaned by December first."

MRS. GEO. PEYTON ENTERTAINS

Mrs. George Peyton was hostess to the "13" Sewing Club on last Thursday afternoon. A most delightful place to entertain was the spacious porch of the home, many pots of ferns, bowls and baskets of flowers, making it a pleasing setting for the gathering of friends.

Several games of 42 were enjoyed before serving of refreshments of chicken sandwiches, ice tea and apricot ice.

Mrs. Giles, Mrs. J. K. Hughes and Mrs. McKinney were guests other than the club members.

Melvin [illegible] of Groesbeck was in the city Friday.

American Teachers Studying In Mexico

SAN ANTONIO, June 30.—Headed by Prof. G. H. Patison, formerly of the college of William and Mary in Virginia, a party of 55 high school and university teachers left home June 30 for the City of Mexico. The teachers, who came from 18 states, will enroll in the summer courses at the University of Nacional and will spend two months in Mexico.

NEWS FROM E. L. SMITE AND FAMILY

June 25th: We are following the banks of the old Mississippi. Will arrive in Chicago at 8 p. m. today. Have just crossed the Wisconsin line. Keep your paper coming as we are keeping up with the news from home. Will be in Chicago about two weeks. Regards to all of our friends in Mexia.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Cook, and two children, Mrs. Jackie Cook, and Mrs. Zeno King will go to Corsicana Sunday. From there Mrs. Zeno King will go on to Dallas to attend the wedding of her cousin, Miss Marla Iley, which takes place Monday.

Judge Kimball of Groesbeck was a Mexia visitor Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Hughes and Bert Hollister motored to Dallas, Friday, returning Sunday.

Miss Frances England is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Lewis, 320 Sumpter street.

Mrs. W. T. Cox of Bay City, who this past week on account of a bad tooth, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Dora Phillips, has been confined to her bed.

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LADIES' SUMMER SHOES

Tomorrow you will find in our Shoes Department about 200 pair of Ladies' Summer Shoes in many desirable colors for immediate wear. Leathers are those most in demand at this time. They're our reguar $8.95 to $12.50 values, placed on sale for next week at per pair— $4.95

LADIES' SILK DRESSES

—Odd Lot of Ladies' Silk Dresses, Printed Crepes and Georgette Crepes. The sizes are from 14 to 40, in styles that are assorted and very attractive These dresses regularly sell from $24.50 to $34.50. All this week at each— $14.95

MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS

—When you see this Odd Lot of Shirts on sale tomorrow you'll marvel at such wonderful values. They are made of silk fiber, silk stripe madras and other desirable materials in patterns with and without collars. Regularly selling up to $5.00, on sale all next week at— $2.95

40 INCH DRESS VOILE

—Odd lot of 40-inch Dress Voile, many patterns just what is in demand for immediate wear. All desirable, this season's colors. Every yard a good value at the original price of 35c. Special price per yd. 19¢

MEN' STRAW HATS

—One Odd Lot of men's straw hats in all sizes go in this Odd Lot Sale. They are styles just such as you want for these hot days. In bleached and brown straws. Reduced from $2.50 and placed on sale for next week at each— $1.65

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LADIES' SILK HOSE

—What a wonderful chance to supply your entire summer's needs at a great saving. Tomorrow morning this Odd Lot of Silk Hosiery will be placed out for your easy selection. You'll find in this lot the colors of Black, Brown, Nude, Grey, Fawn, Otter and White. Our regular $1.95 to $3.00 values, special at the pair— $1.39

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"For Mexia, I WILL"

Now that the platform is out of the way it is hoped that the delegates will name the candidates and get home in time to celebrate the glorious fourth.

Although the mayor of Galveston says the Texas delegation is composed of hoodlums it does not appear that a single one of them attempted to raise a rough house during the debate on the Klan plank.

Well, the Smith boys outdid the McAdoo bunch on their long-distance charivari.—Dallas News.
But they fell a little short in the voting when it came to condemning the Klan Saturday night.

The sixteen to one question is again up in a democratic convention. There were sixteen candidates to start with and only one can be chosen, and that one may still be in the background.

Those antis—pro and klan—made an awful lot of noise in boosting Al Smith in their big parade, but when it came to voting on the Klan plank the fuss was necessarily confined to the delegates and the Smithites were not in it. Had it been left to the galleries—stocked by the antis—no doubt the result would have been differnt.

That old gag about women talking more than men do was exploded when a woman delegate to the democratic convention marched down to the platform and seconded the nomination of one of the presidential candidates in exactly eighteen words and then took her seat as the tired crowd cheered. But maybe she has not yet learned how to talk politics.

Clarence E. Gilmore, Chairman of the Railroad Commission, is an outstanding character in Texas politics. His official acts on the Railroad Commission will wear the closest scrutiny, and his deliberate weighing of important matters that come before the Commission for adjudication have won for him the reputation of being one of the most conscientious, impartial and consistent public servants in our State government today. Mr. Gilmore's name will appear on the official ballot of the Democratic primaries for re-election to a second term, and we believe that the Texas Democracy should stand solid by a man who has served as faithfully as Clarence E. Gilmore has.

A. G. L. G. WEEKLY MEETING

Four of our Campfire Girls and our guardian met at the Legion Hall Tuesday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock From there we hiked to Wright's tank and had our business meeting under some trees. We then went in swimming for thirty minutes. We ate apples, oranges and bananas and drank soda pop. The members that were not there missed a great treat and I am sure they will meet with us Thursday at 5 o'clock at the Legion Hall.—Helen Cochrum.

THE EDITORIAL OF THE DAY

PALO DURO CANYON

Mineral Wells Index.

We have never enthused very much over the project of State Parks but after some investigation and personal observation we are in favor of the State taking over and developing at least two. One of these should be the Davis Mountains, the other the famous Palo Duro canyon in the Panhandle.

It was our pleasure to visit, explore and enjoy a small sector of this wonderful freak of nature last week. About fifteen miles south of Amarillo, encompassed in a large cattle ranch belonging to Mr. Harding, who, by the way, is doing some things toward making a tourist park out of the canyon, there lies a part of this attractive work of nature. The canyon proper is said to be some sixty miles long, running in a general East and West direction, zigzagging its scenic way through two counties and a number of cattle ranches. Approaching over he level plains surrounding it the tourist hardly realize its existence until reaching the very brink of it, and is looking down upon a scene of wooded grandeur that causes one to pause in wonderment.

Palo Duro means "continuing woods," or "continuing trees" and descending into it one finds that it is well named. There are trees everywhere along the banks of a stream that follows the windings of the overhanging cliffs. While the whole of it is beautiful, its rugged beauty being emphasized by its unexpected comparison with the plains through which it winds its tortuous way, there are sectors that rival in natural beauty the show places of the nation. The Devil's Kitchen, where the editors were entertained and where an adjourned session of the convention was held, is worthy of exploitation that it so far has not received. We were told that other parts of the canyon were equally as beautiful as that we visited. There are innumerable springs of cold, clear water, plenty of shade, and vari-colored cliffs, stuccoed with the mud nests of swallows that form a never-ending surprise to the visitor.

Palo Duro Canyon is a great gash cut deep but weavering by some giant hand in the face of the plains, seemingly as a relief from monotony. It is well worthy the development of the State, furnishing as it would a play place for the people of Texas and attracting thousands of tourists from abroad. Give the people the Palo Duro and three hundred miles south, the Davis Mountains as play-places, and the State will have done well for its children. The bathing resorts on our gulf coast will always attract and when these two state parks are added, Texas will have every inducement that any other state in the Union has, and more than many popular resort states have to offer to the tourists of our great traveling commonwealth.

LETTERS From the People

PAT ENDORSES FELIX

Editor Mexia Daily News,
Mexia, Texas.

I have been following the views of the verious candidates for governor, as they have been expressed from time to time in the columns of the daily press and I want to endorse the plan suggested by Felix Robertson as published in The Dallas Times-Herald of issue June 21st as being, to my mind, the most feasible and comprehensive of any that has been suggested for the elimination of red tape and the reduction of cost in the administration of the affairs of our state.

Robertson is advocating "common sense" in conducting the affairs of state government and he is using common sense in the prosecution of his campaign as is evidenced by the above named plan to name competent advisory boards upon the three paramount questions connected with running our state's affairs.

He would, it seems, name three committees. One upon Revenue and Expenditure, one upon law enforcement and one upon public education. These are the three great questions that need our attention at the present time, and his plan for the selection of these committees assures us that the best minds our legislature has will be employed in devising the most desirable system of bringing about much needed changes.

From an unbiased point of view it seems to me that Robertson is far the best material for governor in the race.

He is progressive without being radical and is aggressively constructive. He suggests the abolition of nothing that cannot be replaced by something more effective.

He is a forward looking hopeful enthusiast who believes in the law of love and that the best results will be obtained only when the legislature and the governor work in harmony and give to the people of this state the best product the combined efforts of their heads, hearts and hands.

—L. S. PATTERSON.

HIS SIN PROVES A BLESSING TO HUMANITY

"Here lies Salvino degli Amati, inventor of spectacles.

"May God pardon his sins."

This is the epitaph on the tomb of Salvino degli Amati, in Florence. This Florentine monk invented spectacles in 1285, and when he ground his lenses and took the burden off the eyes and placed it on the nose, he established the freedom of the "see."

As with clothing, furniture, shoes and every other thing which man employs for his comfort, styles in glasses change, and as with all styles, they work around a circle and come back after a period, although usually in more elegant form.

When Hendric Hudson sailed for the first time past Manhattan Island, his associates looked up the Indian trail which is now Broadway through spectacles with crude iron rims chiseled from solid metal by hand. William Penn wore iron rimmed glasses, but with the sliding extensions. Ben Franklin's frames were of brass. To Ben Franklin is given the credit for inventing double focus lenses.

When spectacles were first made, their only purpose was to enable people to see more clearly. But wearers of glasses soon began to consider their appearances, and at that moment entered the "glass of fashion." Now they are changing their glasses as they change their clothes, and selecting their spectacles to suit their personalities. Fortunately, the wearing of the monocle never became fashionable. That styles in glasses are not a new thing is shown by their history. Two hundred years ago the nobles of France and ngland used the "quiz glass." This was a dainty lens, for its day, mounted in a gold chased frame something like a watch. The lorgnette has been called its granddaughter, and the monocle its grandson. Horn and leather goggles became popular in Europe in the Seventeenth Century, and aviator's goggles hark back to the general principle of the leather goggles of that century.

COLLIN ONION CROP

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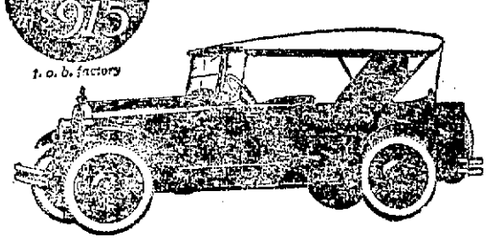
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Bad Liquor Got Mexican In a Hole

HOUSTON, June 30.—A combination of bad liquor, an argument, and an eight foot hole dug for a telephone pole brought near-tragedy to a Mexican here.

He had been drinking with three companions all evening. The argument was a purely "friendly" affair, but it soon waxed hot and developed into a fight—three on one side and one on the other.

The lone fighter fled, but was quickly recaptured. Then the gaping telephone pole hole caught the eye of one of the three. Shouting to his allies, he pointed to the hole.

With admirable aim, considering their condition, the three up-ended the solitary victim and thrust him head first into the hole. Fortunately the bottom of the hole was dry, and after an hour of agonized struggling he managed to extricate himself.

Police are searching for the three, although they are inclined to lay most of the blame on the all too handy cavity.

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Marriage License

The following marriage license were issued during the two week period ending June 21:

Lee Palmer and Doretha Sims.
Luther Ross and Robbie Proctor.
Leroy Hightower and Zelma Harpar.
E. Z. McLendon and Janie Watson.
Barney Lambright and Sarah Maiden.
Clifton Lauderdale and Jessie Mae Mills.
E. B. Lowery and Evelyn Carroll.
E. D. Jefferson and Francis Thompson.
James Pruitt and Braddie Wright.
John F. Whisenant and Nellie G. Foshee.
Sam J. Tullos and Mrs. Doric Bowen.
Fles Buchannan and Velma Ferguson.
Lois Hager and Maggie Caldwell.
L. O. Means and Ivenee Wright.
Earl Hadley and Tenisey Leans.
Horace Johnson and Lennie Tucker.
D. W. Lee and Lena Tatum.
Dave Davis and Maud Crouch.
Arnold Kent and Beatrice Sherrod.
Charlie O'Neal and Francis Gladden.
Geo. W. Archer and Zella Roberts.
Wilder Carter and Nettie Echols.
Zick Carter and Clara Elkins.
P. W. Taliaferro and Edna Pitaich.

Births.

The birth records of the past two weeks show an unusual number of girl babies as compared to the number of boy babies born. The records for the wo weeks period ending June 21 show that eleven births were recorded of which number ten were girls. They are as follows:

To Mr. and Mrs. Irby Nance of Thornton a girl on June 20.

To Mr. and Mrs. H. Farr of Coolidge a girl on June 18.

To Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kupper of Mexia a girl on June 10.

To Mr. and Mrs. James A. Tucker of Thornton twin girls on June 2.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Slaughter of near Groesbeck a girl on June 10.

To Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Vaughan of near Farrar a girl on June 11.

To Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Crutcher of near Groesbeck a girl on May 30.

ToMr. and Mrs. W. L. Shillings of Delia a boy on June 6.

To Henry Harris and wife (col.) of Kosse a girl on June 8.

To Jim S. Tatum and wife (col.) of Groesbeck a girl on June 17.

Civil Cases Filed in District Court.

The following new civil cases were filed in the 87th District Court during the two week period ending June 21:

4628-B Fern Jones vs T. P. Jones.

4629-B R. M. Cameron vs M. I. Della Cameron.

4630-B Elnora Robinson vs Elija Robinson.

4631-B C. F. Hegler vs Eddie Hegler.

4632-B The State of Texas vs Eugene Jackson.

4633-B The State of Texas vs J. A. Dunn et al.

4634-B The State of Texas vs J. A. Dunn et al.

CROSSES CONTINENT IN 22 HOURS.

LIEUT. RUSSELL A. MAUGHAN

Lieutenant Russell A. Maughan, U. S. A. Air Service, is shown here in the Curtiss pursuit airplane in which he flew from Mitchel Field, Long Island, to Crissy Field, San Francisco, a distance of 2,850 miles, in 21 hours 48 minutes, with four intermediate stops. His actual flying time was 18 hours and 26 minutes.

4635-B The State of Texas vs Lester Batcheley.

4636-B The State of Texas vs Lester Allen.

4637-B Mrs. Blanche Tate vs T. D. Tate et al.

4638-B Lena Plemons Frazell vs Oscar Frazell.

4639-B Sinclair Crude Oil Purchasing Co. vs L. E. Wuneburger.

4640-B Cora Daniels vs Leroy Daniels.

4641-B Emma Batcheley, vs Ernest Batcheley.

Deaths.

The following deaths in Limestone county were recorded during the two week period ending June 24:

Infant of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Parr of Mexia died February 14.

[illegible], 63, of near Groesbeck, died June 5.

[illegible]erding, 32, of Groesbeck, died June 6.

Ella Hicks (col.) 53 of Mexia died June 9.

Civil Cases in County Court.

The following new civil cases were filed in the county court of Limestone county during the two week period ending June 24:

1084 Patterson Jewelry Co. vs W. G. Allen.

1085 A. C. Meagher vs Rotar Disc Bit Co., Inc.

1086 Prendergast-Smith National Bank vs W. C. Hardin et al.

Just Had To Have Work, Got A Lift

FORT WORTH, June 30.—A frail little woman walked into US farm labor bureau office here with three children trailing her and asked for a job as harvest hand in the Oklahoma fields. "I've got to go," she said. "We tracked through this town for days and can't find anything to do. These kids are hungry and that's bad when they're this age." The men in the bureau made up a purse to send her to her father's home in Oklahoma.

SALUTE THE FLAG

PORT ARTHUR, June 30.—Local citizens are lacking in respect to Old Glory, according to police officials. During a parade here in which the flag was carried at the head of the column, not a single head was bared as the standard was borne between the crowd of watchers. At least none were observed by officers participating in the march.

HOPE AND HOPE

PORT ARTHUR, Texas, June 28.—Hope springs eternal—which was clearly shown when a prisoner was arraigned before Judge Dyens for drunkeness.

Said the judge: "This is the first time you've ever been before me on a drunk charge. I sincerely hope it [illegible] your last."

Quoth the prisoner: "Judge, you [illegible] the same thing, except I hope it stronger than you could possibly hope."

"Well," replied the court, "I hope we can get our hopes together on this matter. Ten dollars and costs"—this last, hopefully.

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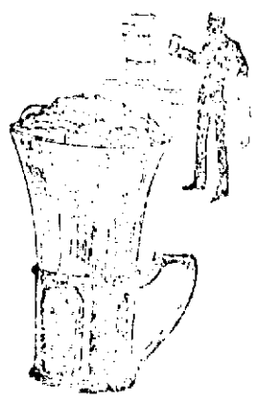

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Yesterday's Results.

Waco 2-3, Temple 1-0.
Corsicana 6-3, Marlin 1-4.
Austin 9-7, Mexia 6-0.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct
Corsicana	5	4	1	.800
Mexia	5	3	2	.600
Marlin	5	3	2	.600
Austin	5	2	3	.400
Waco	5	2	3	.400
Temple	5	1	4	.200

Where They Play Today.

Mexia at Austin.
Marlin at Corsicana.
Waco at Temple.

AUSTIN 9-7, MEXIA 6-0.

AUSTIN, Texas, June 30.—Austin grabbed both games, 9-6 and 7-0. Clements' homer won the first game in the ninth with two on. Humphreys, recently acquired from Corsicana, allowed one hit in the five rounds he worked in the second game.

Austin—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Cannon l f	5	1	1	3	0	0
Clements s s	5	2	3	3	3	0
Courtney r f	4	0	0	0	0	0
Anheier 1 b	4	1	1	8	1	0
Bedford c f	4	2	1	5	1	1
Chaney 2 b	2	0	0	3	4	1
Matlock 3 b	4	1	4	1	1	0
Henderson c	4	1	2	4	0	1
Fleharty p	3	0	1	0	0	0
Whitwith p	1	1	1	1	1	0
Total	36	9	14	27	11	3
Mexia—						
Geppert s s	5	0	1	4	5	1
Fowlkes c	5	1	5	2	2	0
Butler l f	4	1	0	1	0	0
Seeley r f	5	1	2	1	1	0
Jones 3 b	4	0	0	0	2	0
Bryan c f	4	0	1	5	1	0
Bean 1 b	3	1	0	8	0	0
Leedy 2 b	4	2	2	3	2	0
Peel p	2	0	0	0	2	1
Jeffries	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	37	6	11	21	15	2

None out when winning runs scored in 9th.

Jeffries hit for Peel in 7th.

Mexia ..... 000 002 150—6
Austin ..... 022 002 003—9

Home runs—Leedy 2, Bedford, Seeley, Clements. Two-base hits—Matlock, Whitworth. Stolen bases—Fowlkes, Chaney, Cannon. Strike-outs—By Peel 1, by Fleharty 3, Coleman 1. Bases on balls—Off Peel 1, Fleharty 1. Pitching record—Off Fleharty 11 hits, 6 runs in 8 innings, Whitwith no hits, no runs in 1 inning; Peel 10 hits, 6 runs in 6 innings; Coleman 1 hits 3 runs in 2. Winning pitcher—Whitworth. Losing pitcher—Coleman.

Second Game.

Austin—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Cannon l f	3	2	2	0	0	0
Clements s s	3	1	2	1	2	0
Courtney r f	3	1	1	1	0	0
Anheier 1 b	3	1	2	11	0	0
Bedford c f	3	0	0	1	0	0
Chaney 2 b	3	0	0	0	4	0
Matlock 3 b	3	1	1	1	2	0
Henderson c	3	1	1	6	1	0
Humphreys p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Total	25	7	9	21	9	0
Mexia—						
Geppert s s	3	0	0	1	1	0
Butler l f	3	0	0	1	0	0
Bryan c f	2	0	0	1	0	0
Seeley r f	3	0	1	1	1	0
Jones 3 b	2	0	0	2	0	0
Bean 1 b	2	0	0	6	1	0
Leedy 2 b	3	0	0	0	3	0
Williamson c	3	0	0	5	0	0
Hill p	2	0	0	1	2	0
Fowlkes	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	22	0	1	18	7	0

Fowlkes batted for Bean in 7th.

Mexia ..... 000 000 0—0
Austin ..... 300 121 *—7

Home runs—Anheier, Matlock. Two base hits—Clements, Courtney, Anheier. Struck out—By Humphreys 5, Hill 6, Whitworth 1. Bases on balls—Off Humphreys 1, Whitworth 3. Winning pitcher—Humphreys. Stolen base—Cannon.

MONDAY'S FIVE BEST RADIO FEATURES

WLW, Cincinnati, 423M 8 p. m.—Municipal opera direct from the Zoological gardens.

WJZ, New York, 455M, 7:15 p. m. EST—Goldman's band.

WDAF, Kansas City, 411M 8 p.m. CST—WDAF Minstrels.

WOR, Newark 405M 7 p. m. EST—Newark oratorio society.

KPO, San Francisco—423M 9 p. m. PCST—Concert program with soprano and baritone solos and violin selections.

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BABE RUTH'S BAT FOR AL SMITH.

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CORSICANA 5-3, MARLIN 1-4.

CORSICANA, Texas, June 30.—Corsicana and Marlin split a double-header here Sunday. Corsicana took the first 5 to 1, and Marlin the second 4 to 3.

Corsicana—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Etheridge l f	1	1	2	0	0	0
Grubb 3 b	3	2	0	6	1	0
Thornton 1 b	4	1	1	13	9	2
Brown c f	4	0	1	0	0	0
Barrett r f	3	0	1	0	0	0
Malmquist 2 b	3	1	2	4	2	0
Sain s s	3	0	0	1	5	0
Vann c	3	0	0	3	0	0
Hollis p	2	1	1	0	4	0
Total	29	6	8	27	21	2
Marlin—						
Craig c f	4	0	1	1	0	0
White 3 b	4	0	0	3	1	0
Greer l f	4	0	0	1	0	0
Alexander 2 b	4	0	1	1	2	0
Munson r f	3	0	0	3	0	0
Pipkin 1 b	3	0	0	6	0	0
Rawlings s s	3	0	0	7	2	0
Covington c	2	0	0	3	2	0
Gressett p	2	1	1	0	2	0
Total	29	1	3	24	9	0
Marlin				000	031	000—1
C				000	031	01*—5

Home run—Barrett. Two-base hits [illegible] 2, Malmquist, Etheridge 2. Struck out—By Gressett 3, Hollis 3. Bases on balls—Off Gressett 4, Hollis 2

Second Game.

Corsicana—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Etheridge l f	3	0	1	0	0	0
Grubb 3 b	1	1	0	3	0	0
Thornton 1 b	3	0	1	9	0	0
Brown c f	2	0	2	0	0	0
Barrett r f	2	2	1	3	0	0
Malmquist 2 b	3	0	1	3	1	1
Sain s s	2	0	0	2	2	1
Hamilton c	2	0	1	2	0	0
Arguijo p	3	0	0	0	3	0
Vann c	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	21	3	5	21	6	2
Marlin—						
Craig c f	4	1	1	3	0	0
White 3 b	3	0	0	1	6	1
Alexander c	3	0	0	0	1	0
Munson r f	3	0	0	0	0	0
Pipkin 1 b	3	1	0	12	0	0
Rawlings s s	3	0	1	3	3	0
Gressett l f	3	1	2	2	0	0
Biggers p	1	1	0	0	1	0
Total	26	4	4	21	13	2
Marlin				010	030	0—4
Corsicana				110	001	0—3

Two-base hit—Malmquist. Struck-out—By Arguijo 2. Bases on balls—Arguijo 2, Biggers 1.

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15	Dallas Ft. Worth	3:44 p. m.
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37	Dallas Ft. Worth	5:14 a. m.
17	Dallas Ft. Worth	4:35 a. m.
19	Dallas Ft. Worth	3:55 a. m.

South bound—

346	To cut-off	7:00 a. m.
16	Houston San Antonio	11:45 a. m.
32	From Dallas	10:08 a. m.
38	Austin San nAtonio	12:21 a. m.
18	Houston San Antonio	1:37 a. m.
24	Houston San Antonio	12:16 a. m.

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WACO 2-3, TEMPLE 1-0.

WACO, Texas, June 30.—The Waco Indians won a double bill from Temple Sunday, 2-1 and 3-0. The Surgeons made four hits in the opener and only two in the second.

Waco—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kelly l f	4	0	1	5	0	0
Strickland 3 b	2	0	0	3	1	0
Lewis s s	2	0	0	1	0	0
Caffey r f	3	0	0	2	0	0
Hall 3 b	3	0	1	0	1	0
Shires 1 b	3	1	1	5	2	0
Humphreys c	3	1	1	7	3	0
Provence c f	3	0	2	3	0	1
Schmid p	2	0	0	1	1	0
Total	25	2	6	27	8	1
Temple—						
Lance 3 b	3	1	1	2	3	0
Wren l f	4	0	0	0	0	0
McElwee r f	3	0	0	1	0	0
Storey 2 b	4	0	1	3	4	0
Lind 1 b	3	0	3	12	1	0
Leissner c f	3	0	0	0	0	0
Rich s s	3	0	0	0	2	0
Lacy c	3	0	0	6	3	0
Nugent p	2	0	0	0	3	0
Hudspeth	1	0	0	0	0	0
Total	29	1	4	24	6	0

Hudspeth batted Lessiner in 9th.

Temple ..... 100 000 000—1
Waco ..... 020 000 00*—2

Home runs—Lance, Humphreys. Two-base hits—Shires. Stolen base—Lance. Struck out—By Nugent 4, by Schmid 8. Bases on balls—Off Nugent 1, Schmid 3.

Second Game.

Temple—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Lance 3 b	3	0	0	0	0	0
[illegible] l f	3	0	0	0	0	0
McElwee r f	3	0	1	1	0	0
Storey 2 b	3	0	0	2	2	2
Lind 1 b	2	0	0	9	1	0
Leissner c f	2	0	1	0	0	0
Rich s s	2	0	0	1	2	0
Hudspeth c	2	0	0	1	0	0
Pipkin p	2	0	0	2	3	0
Total	22	0	2	18	12	2
Waco—						
Kelly l f	3	0	0	0	0	0
Strickland 2 b	3	0	1	1	3	0
Lewis s s	3	0	0	3	1	0
Caffey r f	3	0	1	0	1	0
Hall 3 b	3	1	0	0	2	1
Shires 1 b	2	1	2	10	3	0
Humphreys c	1	0	0	1	1	0
Provence c f	2	1	1	5	0	0
Green p	2	0	1	1	2	0
Total	22	3	6	31	13	1
Temple				000	000	0—0
Waco				010	000	2—2

Home run—Provence. Stolen base—Hall. Struck out—By Pipkin 1.

A PAIR OF 'EM

HOUSTON, June 30.—Two men, both by the same name but not related are in the same cell here on the same charge, deserting the U. S. Army. J. M. McDonald was arrested at Port Arthur and W. E. McDonald was taken into custody here.

THE VERY LIMIT

SAN ANTONIO, June 30.—Snake chasing has been added to the list of a policeman's duties here. Patrolman Davis responded to a hurry call and a frightened woman demanded that he crawl under her house and rout a reptile that had slid in from the heat. However, since the snake had made the intrusion three days earlier, Davis figured it would do no harm under the house.

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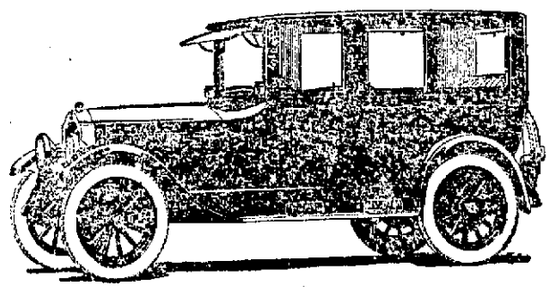

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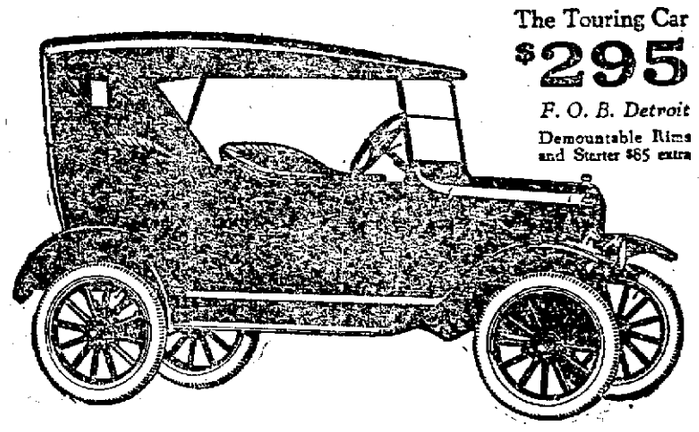

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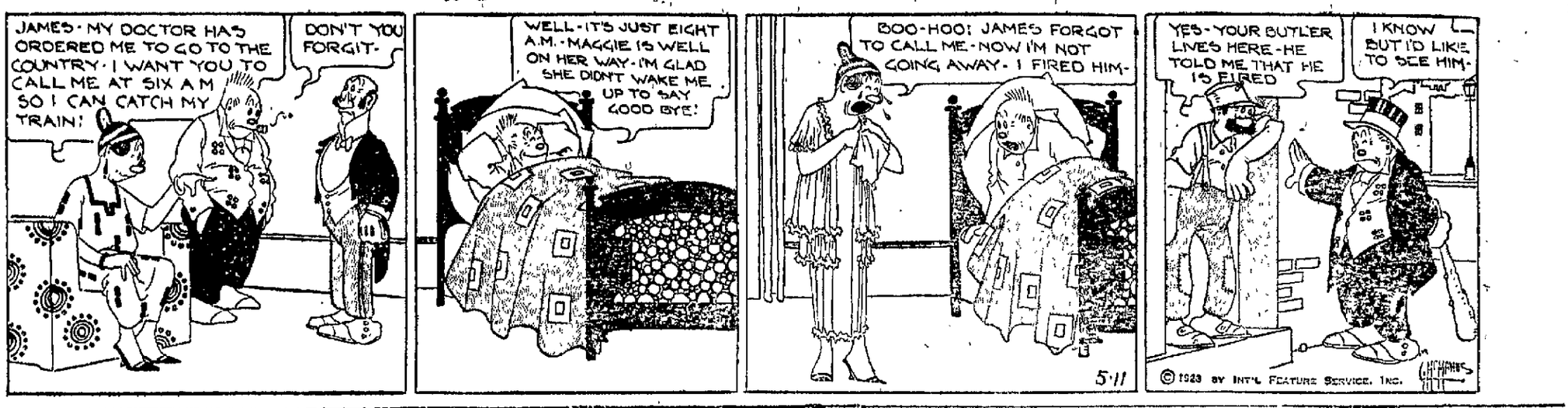
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An ordinance ordering an election in the City of Mexia, Texas, to be held on the 7th day of July, 1924, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of the City of Mexia, Texas, for the adoption or rejection of the proposed charter, prepared and framed by the Charter Commission heretofore elected, and designating the places at which said election is to be held, and appointing presiding officers thereof and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, on the 11th day of February, 1924 the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, duly enacted an ordinance, submitting to the qualified voters of said City, at an election ordered and held for the purpose, on the 18th day of March, 1924, the question: "SHALL A COMMISSION BE CHOSEN TO FRAME A CHARTER"? and also providing for an election of fifteen members of a charter commission in case a majority of the votes cast at such election should be in favor of the choosing of such a commission, and which ordinance was duly approved and published and notices of such election were duly given as required by law; and

WHEREAS, said question was duly submitted and voted upon at said election in said city on said date, and the majority of the qualified voters voting at such election voted in favor of the choosing of a commission to frame a charter, and also a majority of the qualified voters voting at said election, voted in favor of fifteen citizens of said city to compose said Charter Commission; and

WHEREAS, said election was duly and legally held on the said 18th day of March, 1924, and results of said election was duly certified and returned to the City Commission by the proper election officers; and

WHEREAS, on the 21st day of March, 1924, this commission considered the several returns and canvassed the same, and found that there were cast, at said election, six hundred twenty-seven (627) votes, of which number five hundred five (505) votes were cast for the choosing of a charter commission, and one hundred twenty-two (122) votes were cast against the choosing of a charter commission, and this commission thereupon, by resolution, duly entered, declared that the proposition so submitted was sustained and adopted by a majority vote of the qualified voters of said city, voting at said election; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, has examined into and investigated the regularity of the proceedings for said election and finds that the same was duly and legally held, that the notice required by law to be given has been duly and legally given, and that said election was conducted in strict conformity with all the requirements of law; and

WHEREAS, each and all of said citizens were elected, duly qualified as members of said charter commission, and met and organized the same, and duly proceeded to frame a charter for the City of Mexia, Texas, and heretofore, on the 27th day of May, 1924, a such commission, signed such proposed charter and duly provided for the submission of the same to a vote of the qualified voters of said City, at an election to be held upon the question of the adoption or rejection of such charter upon the 7th day of July, 1924; and

WHEREAS, the said Charter Commission provided that the present City Commission shall call an election for such purpose; and

WHEREAS, the said Charter Commission will ratify and confirm and make the enactment of this ordinance its act and deed, and will make such ordinance its order for such election, all of which will be evidenced by the signature of the members of said Charter Commission appended hereto under the words: "APPROVED BY CHARTER COMMISSION"; therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MEXIA, TEXAS:

Section 1. That an election shall be held in the City of Mexia, Texas, on the 7th day of July, 1924, at which the following proposition shall be submitted:

"Shall the charter reported by the Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, on the 27th day of May, 1924, and which had been prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected by the qualified voters of the city of the 18th day of March, 1924, be adopted as the charter of the City of Mexia, Texas, as contemplated and authorized by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, including Chapter 147, Acts of 1913, Regular Session?"

Section 2. That the polling places and presiding officers of said election shall be, respectively as follows: the polling place shall be at the City Hall, in the City of Mexia, and W. B. Kendrick is hereby designated as presiding officer.

Section 3. That said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 147, Acts of 1913, Regular Session, and all persons qualified to vote in said City under the laws of this State regulating general elections shall be allowed to vote.

Section 4. That the manner of holding said election shall be governed by the general laws of the State of Texas, regulating general elections, when not in conflict with the provisions of the law hereinabove referred to.

Section 5. All voters desiring to adopt a charter so prepared and reported by the Charter Commission shall have printed on their ballot the following:

OFFICIAL BALLOT

"For the adoption of the Charter prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected on the 18th day of March, 1924, and which was reported by said Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia on the 27th day of May, 1924."

And those opposed shall have on their ballots the following:

"Against the adoption of the Charter prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected on the 18th day of March, 1924, and which was reported by said Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia on the 27th day of May, 1924."

Section 6. That the action of the aforesaid Charter Commission in calling the election for the purpose hereinabove stated, and in all other respects with reference to the framing and submitting of such proposed charter, are hereby ratified and confirmed, and the said Charter Commission, or the members thereof, shall ratify and confirm all things done by the present City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, with respect to the matters and things dealt with in this ordinance, and shall make the same their act and deed by subscribing their respective names hereunto under the caption, "APPROVED BY CHARTER COMMISSION," and such names as so subscribed shall be published as a part of this ordinance.

Section 7. A copy of this ordinance shall be sufficient notice of said election, and thirty (30) days notice of the time and place of holding the said election shall be given by posting certified copies thereof at the places designated for holding said election at least thirty (30) days prior to the holding of said election, and by publication of such notice not less than thirty (30) full days from date of election.

Section 8. The fact that the City of Mexia is at the present time without a charter and that the public intrests require the adoption of a charter, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity for the suspension of the rules requiring ordinances to be read upon more than one day and for the immediate taking effect of this ordinance, and such rules are hereby suspended, and it is ordained that this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval.

Passed and approved this the 27th day of May, 1924.

E. WATSON,
Mayor of the City of Mexia, Texas.
(Seal)
Approved:
Attest:
R. D. Morgan, City Secretary.
Approved by Charter Commission:
I. W. Keys
David Murphy
Ben F. Stollenwerck
B. R. Howard
Carl Davis
J. I. Riddle
C. A. Chambers
Mrs. Sam Cox
Mrs. Jack Womack
Mrs. W. W. Barnett
Mrs. Roy B. Bass
Mrs. John H. Sweatt
Phil Karrer
J. Sanford Smith
W. Duke Pittman

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CANDIDATES

Announcements

1924 ELECTIONS

LIMESTONE COUNTY

The following candidates for the offices named submit their names subject to the action or the Democratic primary election to be held in Limestone county on the 26th day of July, 1924:

For Governor—
FELIX G. ROBERTSON.
For Senator 13th District—
HARRY P. JORDAN
For District Judge, 77th Judicial Dis.
C. H. MACHEN
A. M. BLACKMON (Re-election.)
W. R. BOYD, (Freestone County.)
For District Attorney,
77th Judicial District—
LUTHER B. AULTMAN
For Judge 87th Judicial District—
J. ROSS BELL
(Re-Election 2nd Term)
J. E. WOODS.
L. E. EUBANKS
For District Clerk—
M. A. AINSWORTH.
For Representative, Sixth Congressional District—
LUTHER A. JOHNSON
(Re-Election Sought)
For Representative Limestone County
W. P. ALEXANDER
For County Judge—
H. F. KIRBY (Re-election sought)
JOHNSON WAKEFIELD
B. W. MILES.
For County Clerk—
J. L. DAY, (re-election, 2nd. term.)
For County Tax Assessor—
TOM M. CAIN
R. W. (BOB) STEED
A. A. HYDEN.
J. L. HIGGINBOTHAM
For Tax Collector—
W. A. ROBBINS. (re-election.)
For County Treasurer—
MRS LULA OATES, (re-election.)
H. C FITZGERALD.
For Sheriff—
WHIT POPEJOY (re-election.)
For Commissioner Precinct No. 1—
JOHN M. KENNEDY, (re-election)
LUTHER COX.
County Attorney—
SCOTT REED (re-election, second term.)
For County School Superintendent—
J. J. BATES.
MRS. CORA FERGUSON
(Re-election.)
For Justice of the Peace, Pre. 4—
S. H. FLAKE
CHARLES L. CLOVER.
O. KENNEDY, (re-election, second term.)
For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 4
ROY H. STOKES, (re-election, second term.)
VIRGIL D. WOOD
For Constable, Precinct No. 4—
JOE P. FELZ
M. P. WILLIS

Prim Prest.

CRUDE OIL PRICES

Midcontinent.

Below 30 gravity	$1.35
30 to 32.9 gravity	1.45
33 to 35.9 gravity	1.75
36 to 38.9 gravity	2.00
39 gravity and above	2.25

Magnalia prices:

Below 28 grivity	$1.00
28 to 30.9 gravity	1.20
31 to 32.9 gravity	1.45
33 to 35.9 gravity	1.75
36 to 38.9 gravity	2.00
39 gravity and above	2.25

North Central Texas.

Corsicana light	$2.00
Corsicana heavy	1.90
Thrall	1.00
Mexia	2.00
Currie	2.25
Rockdale-Minerva	1.60

Owens Refining Company paying the following on Rockdale-Minerva:

36 to 38.9 gravity	$1.85
39 and above	2.00

South Texas.

Mirando	.80

Somerset.

Below 33 gravity	$1.15
33 to 35.9 gravity	1.40
36 to 38.9 gravity	1.60
39 gravity and above	1.75

Gulf Coast.

Grade A	$1.65
Grade B at Blue Ridge, Hull and Pierce Junction	1.40

Louisiana-Arkansas.
Caddo.

38 gravity and above	$1.70
35 to 37.9 gravity	1.60
32 to 34.9 gravity	1.50
Below 32 gravity	1.35

East Texas.

Nacogdoches shallow oil	$2.15

Premium of 50c a barrel over price of Texas Coastal Grade A crude posted for Nacogdoches shallow by Yuba Refining Company.

Homer.

35 gravity and above	$1.70
32 to 34.9 gravity	1.60
31 to 32.9 gravity	1.50
Below 31 gravity	1.35
33 gravity and above	1.60
Below 33 gravity	1.50

Bull Bayou.

38 gravity and above	$1.65
35 to 37.9 gravity	1.50
32 to 34.9 gravity	1.35
De Soto crude	1.70
Crichton	1.50
Bellevue	1.55
Jennings	1.65
Vinton	1.65
Edgerly crude	1.65
26 gravity and above	1.35
25 to 25.9 gravity	1.20
24 to 24.9 gravity	1.10

Smackover.

Below 24 gravity	1.00

El Dorado.

38 gravity and above	$1.70
Below 38 gravity	1.60
El Dorado east field (Calion)	1.00

Stephens District.
(Atlantic.)
Posted by Atlantic Oil Company:
28 gravity and above 60 degrees $1.40
36 to 27.9 gravity at 60 degrees 1.35
23 to 25.9 gravity at 60 degrees 1.20
Below 23 gravity at 60 degrees 1.00

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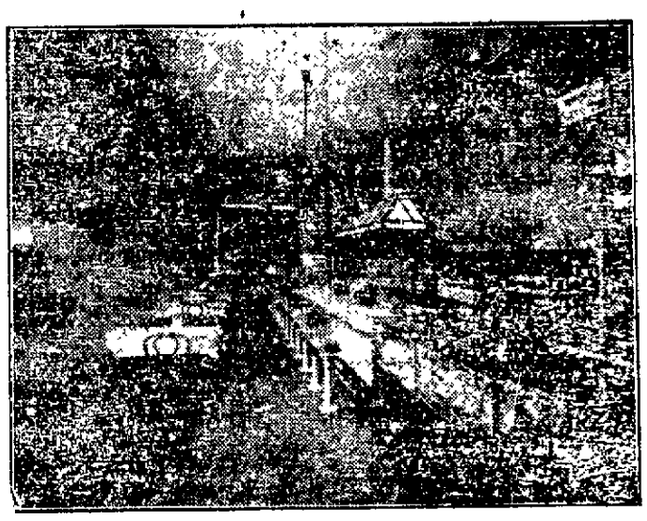

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Comedy: "LAUGHING GAS"

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POPULAR MEXIA WOMAN CHARMS SAN ANTONIO ROTARY CLUB

From the Wheel of Fortune, the official organ of the San Antonio Rotary Club, we clip the following concerning a popular Mexia woman, Mrs. W. F. Box:

MADAME ALICIA PETTICLERC

It was indeed a rare treat to have as our guest at Friday's luncheon our old time friends and former San Antonian, Madame Alicia Petticlerc.

To the older members, Madame Petticlerc is known as the San Antonio songbird and if any evidence was necessary that she still retains her right to the title, it was demonstrated in the loud and continued applause that signified the Club's approval of her efforts.

Looking, if possible, more charming than ever and in splendid voice she favored us with three selections closing with "Home Sweet Home."

To many of us it seemed the old song carried an added touch of Pathos for truly San Antonio is home to Madame Petticlerc and while at this time her lot is cast elsewhere, her eyes are ever turned to the old city she loves and where she in turn is equally beloved!

Some years ago when the International Convention was held at Kansas City, Mo., Madame accompanied the San Antonio delegates, she having been accorded the distinguished honor of being selected to sing the opening number. To say that she captured the Convention is stating it mildly. During our stay she was in constant demand and with her charming voice and gracious manner endeared herself to all.

During the dark and trying days of the war, hers was the voice most often heard at the public gatherings and in the hospitals, ever adding cheer and encouragement to our then immense soldier citizenship.

Here's hoping the time is not far distant when she will return to us and we promise to readopt her, for she exemplifies to a superlative degree Rotary's motto—service.—Harry L. Miller.

Local News

J. C. Hodges is back from Galveston where he has been on a pleasure trip.

Miss Mary Ward has returned from a few days visit to her sister, Mrs. Fred Hofstetter, in San Antonio.

Mrs. Grady Schudles from Abilene, Texas, is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd at 511 Hopkins street.

Jess McLendon returned to Austin Saturday evening to see the double header played there Sunday.

Mrs. Zeno King and little daughter Frances Elain left Sunday for Dallas to atend the wedding of Miss Marea Iley.

D. H. Butler, an old time Mexiaite, now living at Sweetwater, is in the city for a few days visit to old time friends.

Mrs. Crawley and daughter, Ruth, of Waco are visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. M. Strange. They leave Monday for home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. England of Celeste have returned to their home after a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Lewis of this city.

The friends of Mrs. A. L. George, of Teague, will rejoice to know that she is back home again after a successful operation in Dallas recently.

Miss Ruth Clark has returned from a few weeks visit to friends and relatives in Mississippi, where she went after attending the Confederate reunion in Memphis.

J. L. Riddle is leaving today for Chicago and other furniture markets and will be gone about three weeks. When he returns he will tell you all about it through this paper.

C. P. Tinley is here from Luling watching operations at the Moody well, work on which is being resumed. They are still in the Woodbine sand and hope to make a well of it finally.

The Mexia Daily News will celebrate the Fourth of July, and our custom is to not publish a paper on that date. So any ads or urgent job work you have, please get it in the shop not later than Thursday morning.

Captain Lawrence Hanes from Ennis will be with the Riddle Furniture Company while Mr. Riddle is away on his market trip. Mr. Riddle leaves today for Chicago and Grand Rapid, Michigan on a three weeks buying tour of the Eastern market for his big Furniture store.

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MEN AND WOMEN IN NEWS OF THE DAY.

Above: PRINCE OF WALES & MADELEINE DEVER
Below: SADI LECOINTE & NICKY ARNSTEIN

The bachelor Prince of Wales, celebrating his 30th birthday in London, is reported to have told his intimate friends he did not intend to marry until he was 35. "Nicky" Arnstein, serving a term in the Federal Prison at Leavenworth, Kan., for implication in a huge bond theft in New York, has been returned to jail in New York City, and it is said he intends to turn State's evidence and involve many other persons. Sadi Lecointe, famous French flyer, competing for the Beaumont Cup at 500 kilometres in a 600 horsepower Nieuport airplane, made 300 miles an hour, the fastest time ever made in the air. Madeleine Dever, former Follies dancer, named as co-respondent in the New York divorce suit of Mrs. Philip M. Shaw against her wealthy husband, has now sued Shaw for $100,000, alleging breach of promise to marry, spurning his offer of marriage made in court.

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By DAISEY MAYS
(See Station Calls Above)
Tune In Time—Central Standard Time
June 30, 1924
6 to 7 p. m.

KGO, 6 to 7:30, Dance orchestra.
WDAR, 6, Talk.
WOAW, 6, Colored program.
WCX, 6, Musical program.
WGY, 6:15, "Fruit and Vegetable Distribution."
WOO, 6:15, Weekly health talk.
WGY, 6:25, Address on live stock.
WOAW, 6:30 to 7:30, Dinner program.
WGY, 6:30, Address.
KPO, 6:30 to 7:30, Seiger's orchestra.
WGY, 6:45, Salvation Army band.
7 to 8 p. m.
WLW, 7, Grand Opera.
WHB, 7 to 7:30, Music, Sweeny orchestra.
WOO, 7:10, Grand orchestra.
WWJ, 7:30, Schmeman's band.
WDAR, 7:30, Symphony orchestra.
WAAW, 7:30 to 9, Church choir.
KPO, 7:30 to 8:30, Children's hour.
8 to 9 p. m.
WOO, 8, Organ music.
WOS, 8, Address.
WDAR, 8, Dance orchestra.
WDAF, 8 to 9:15, Program by orchestra and WDAF, Minstrels.
WOS, 8:20, Musicale.
WOO, 8:30, Sylvania dance orchestra.
WFAA, 8:30 to 9:30, Program.
WWJ, 8:30, News orchestra.
9 to 10 p. m.
WOAW, 9 to 11, Recital program.
KPO, 9 to 9:30, Seiger's orchestra.
10 to 11 p. m.
KPO, 10 to 11, Organ music.
KGW, 10 to 12, Musical program.
KHJ, 10 to 11, Evening Herald concert.
KGO, 10, Educational program; music.
11 to 12
KPO, 11 to 12, Musical program.
KHJ, 11 to 12, Examiner concert.
WDAF, 11:45, Nighthawk frolic.

A SMALL BLAZE SATURDAY NIGHT

A small grocery store belonging to a Mr. Kennedy on east Sumpter street, was completely destroyed by fire at 10:45 Saturday night. Mr. Kennedy states that he closed the store about 8:30 and went to Groesbeck and on returning found his store in ruins. There was no fire in the building and it is not known how the fire originated. The fire department kept the fire from spreading to the adjoining homes as the frame store was consumed by the flames in just a few minutes.

There was $2,000 insurance carried on the house, stock and fixtures.

ALL LIT UP

FORT WORTH, Texas, June 28.—Ships that pass in the night over Texas hereafter will be guided by a beacon light on top the mooring mast at the government helium plant here.

Texas Is Harvesting A Bumper Wheat Crop

ABILENE, June 30.—With the grain harvest in full blast, a bumper crop is being threshed in the Abilene territory according to reports from various parts of this section. Wheat is yielding from 20 to 50 bushels to the acre and is testing from 60 to 64 pounds. One farmer is reported to have made 53 bushels to the acre.

George Preston threshed 1500 bushels of barley from 14 acres of land, a yield of 107 bushels to the acre.

Mr. Claud King returned yesterday from a week's vacation.

Miss Ida Belle Hunt and mother, have returned from Dallas, where they have been visiting for several days.

Rough Dry.

MEXIA-WACO TRUCK LINE
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TUESDAY — THURSDAY — SATURDAY
John Osborn
PHONE 42

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300 North R. R. St., Phone 52—We Deliver.

Must Have Carried A Rabbit's Foot

A man giving his name as Earle Burleston had a miraculous escape from death Sunday afternoon at the Commerce street crossing of the H. & T. C. railroad. Burleston attempted to catch a freight train after it had attained a terrific speed, his body was thrown against the car making him loose his hold and drop off under the car. Not one of the spectators can figure how he ever got from under the wheels, but in some way he kicked himself from between the rails just before the rear wheels of the car passed. His shirt was torn completely from his back and he was covered with cuts and bruises. He was carried to the hospital by a passing motorist where his wounds were dressed.

A REGULAR BUSINESS WITH THIS MEXIA BANK

Monday the City National Bank of Mexia declared its regular semi-annual dividend of 5 per cent, and checks are being mailed out to the stockholders. This has been a regular business with this bank since it opened its doors less than three years ago.

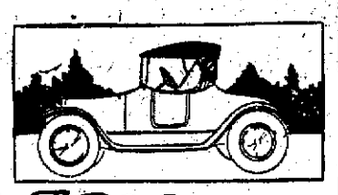
Patterson's Column

THIS THEN today is about
* * *
J. C. (Cliff Cobb and his
* * *
AMUSEMENT enterprises at the
* * *
RE-UNION GROUNDS
* * *
HE HAS taken over a good thing
* * *
AND HAS made it better still
* * *
UNTIL TODAY the Reunion
* * *
OPEN AIR swimming pool
* * *
COMPARES favorably with any
* * *
POOL ANYWHERE
* * *
THE WATER is clean and very
* * *
PLENTIFUL AND of just the
* * *
RIGHT TEMPERATURE for out
* * *
DOOR BATHING and under charge
* * *
OF A competent manager every
* * *
DETAIL IS loked after so those
* * *
WHO LOVE to swim may rest assured
* * *
THAT NOTHING will be left undone
* * *
THAT MAY add to their comfort
* * *
AND SAFETY
* * *
THE WRITER first met Cliff Cobb
* * *
SOME YEARS ago and is not
* * *
SURPRISED THAT the crowds grow
* * *
STEADILY LARGER at this fine
* * *
RESORT SINCE he took it over
* * *
FOR HE never does things by
* * *
HALVES
* * *
HIS AGGRESSIVE advertising is
* * *
BRINGING HUNDREDS of out of
* * *
TOWN PLEASURE seekers to and
* * *
THROUGH MEXIA every week and
* * *
MR. COBB justly deserves the fine
* * *
SUPPORT MEXIA is giving him
* * *
IF YOU have not been out for a
* * *
PLUNGE SUPPOSE you try it some
* * *
TIME
* * *
CLIFF COBB like a lot of other
* * *
LIVE WIRES uses a Patterson
* * *
PHONOGRAPH AND puts Patterson
* * *
JEWELRY ON his wife and
* * *
DAUGHTER WHICH is still another
* * *
EVIDENCE OF good judgment
* * *
I THANK you.
* * *
—PATTERSON.....

PITTMAN-McADAMS

Last Saturday night about 9 o'clock Mr. W. D. Pittman and Mrs. Linda McAdams drove up in front of Rev. E. E. Rogers' home on East Sumpter street and had that divine tie the knot that made them man and wife. They then drove off and took the night train for the south, and will visit points in Louisiana before returning home to receive the congratulations of their many friends here.

Miss Maggie Clark has returned from a few days visit in Austin.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Then you can't do better than drive down to my place and let me fix you up.
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And I do upholstering. Can handle the job on any kind of car.
Give me a trial and you will have no regrets.
R. G. McDONNELL
214 E. Palestine Street

FIFTY YEARS AGO

The Dallas News' "50 Years Ago" column contains this item, which is of interest to the people of this section:

State News.

Houston.—The Hon. John H. Reagan is at the Hutchins House tonight, as is also Benjamin Lambard, a wealthy Chicago banker, who has bought a large tract of land at Tehuacana, intending there to build a town.

Dr. W. C. McKnight has just returned from a motor trip into old Mexico and up and down both sides of the Rio Grande from Brownsville to San Antonio. He has not fully recovered from the sun burns yet but says he will be alright in a few days. He says that his thermometer registered as high as one hundred and thirty during some of his trips thru the cane breaks.

Mrs. Maurice Finney, on South Belknap has as her guests for several weeks, her sister, Miss McDonald, and Miss Cordell, from Fort Smith, Ark.

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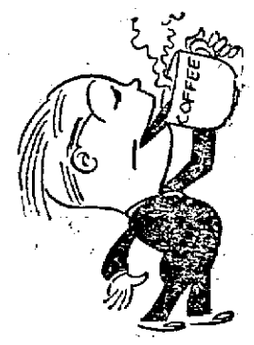
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In your mind you should bear—
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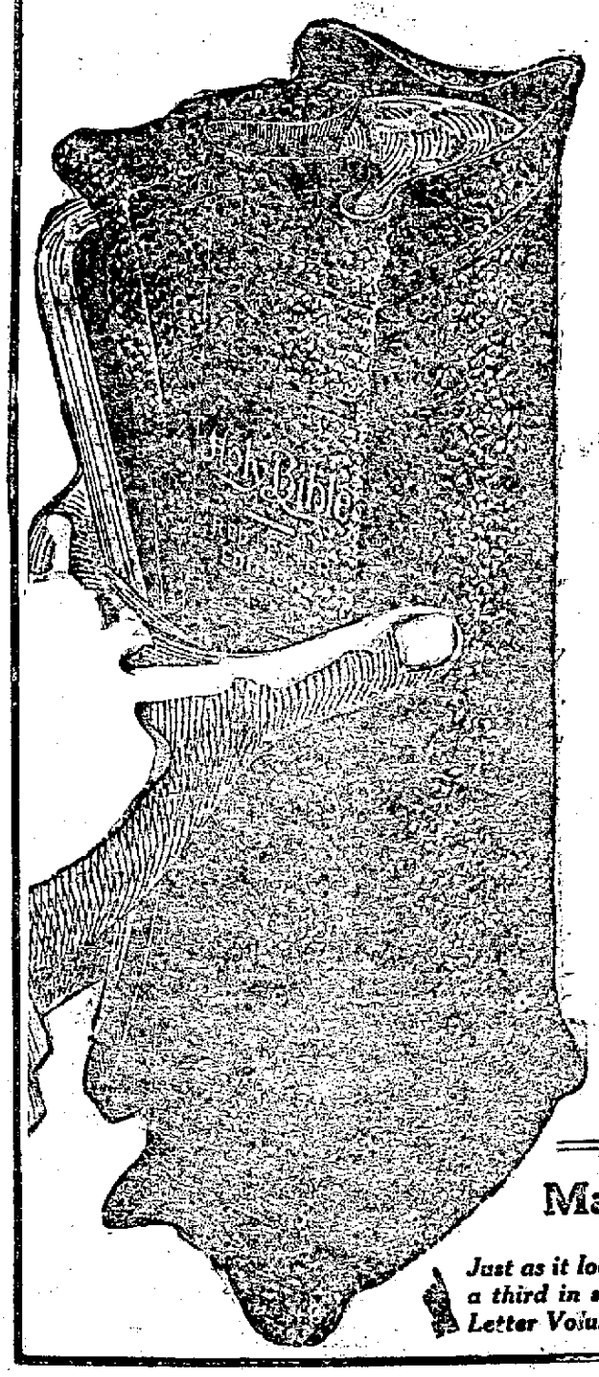
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CONVENTION ADOPTS RESOLUTIONS ON DEATH OF HARDING

DELEGATES NOW GETTING DOWN TO BUSINESS

FALL, SINCLAIR, AND DOHENEYS INDICTED AT WASHINGTON

McAdoo and Smith Lead off On First Ballot, With Cox Third, Underwood Fourth

MADISON SQUARE GARDEN, NEW YORK, June 30.—The convention was called to order at 10:30 a. m. and the first ballot was taken. The vote was badly split up among the various candidates and favorite sons.

McAdoo followers declare he will be nominated on about the 10th ballot.

FIRST BALLOT

Underwood	42½
Cox,	59
Davis	31
McAdoo	431½
Ralston	30
Robinson	21
Smith	241
Harrison	43½
Thompson	1
Brown	17
Saulsbury	7
Glass	25
Ritchie	21½
Bryan	18
Silzer	38
Governor Davis	20
Ferris	30
Sweet	12
Kendrick	6

SECOND BALLOT

Smith	251½
McAdoo	431

THIRD BLLAOT

Smith	255
McAdoo	437

FOURTH BALLOT

Smith	260
McAdoo	443 3-5
Glass	45
Underwood	41½
J. W. Davis	34
Ralston	30

FIFTH BALLOT

Smith	261
McAdoo	441 1-10
Underwood	41½
J. W. Davis	34½
Glass	25
Ralston	30

SIXTH BALLOT

Smith	261½
McAdoo	443 1-10
Cox	59
J. W. Davis	55½
Glass	25
Ralston	30
Underwood	42½

Smith is showing slight but consistent gain. The convention may decide to recess from 4 until 8 p. m.

Smith Partisans Say Will Nominate Their Man on 10th

UNITED PRESS HEADQUARTERS, WALDORF HOTEL, NEW YORK, June 30.—With the democratic national convention ready to begin balloting today, managers of Governor Alfred E. Smith were claiming their candidate would become the party's candidate on the tenth ballot.

A total of 225, with a possibility of 270½ will be shown for the Governor on the first ballot they claim and this strength will be steadily increased as the voting continues.

On the tenth ballot, according to Smith managers, the Governor will receive the necessary two-thirds votes to make him the party's standard bearer.

Governor Smith is willing to run on the platform as it was adopted by the convention.

"That is the expression of the supreme body of the party" he said. "It must be accepted by every democrat. That includes me."

There was no lack of confidence in the Smith camp as the convention was ready to proceed with its most important business. Yesterday the Governor received a bill from a bill from a Brooklyn paper which had installed a radio receiving set in its auditorium, for a broken tube. A note explained that when the Governor was placed in nomination, the noise became so terrific that the vibrations broke the tube.

"Send them a check," he instructed his secretary, "and tell them to turn it off five minutes before the final result is announced. I don't want to pay for five tubes."

OFFICIAL LONE STAR TRAIL IN MEXIA TODAY

The Lone Star Trail is now marked from its eastern terminus at St. Augustine, Florida to the eastern city limits of Mexia. Secretary-Manager J. M. Hughes, with national headquarters at Winfield, La., finished the marking Saturday afternoon, and will push the work on through Waco to its western terminus at Los Angeles.

Every foot of the Lone Star Trail from Mexia to the Alabama line is a state and federal aid project and is either constructed or funds are in hand for immediate construction. Probably the most important link to this part of the state is the road from Fairfield to Palestine. We are informed that a deffinite location for the bridge across the Trinity river between these two cities will be made this week and the contract for construction of the road and bridge will be let within a few weeks. Funds for this link are in the hands of the road authorities of the two counties This will open all of East Texas over the Lone Star Trail through Mexia.

The Lone Star Trail enters Texas over the Old San Antonio road at Pendleton and passes through San Augustine, Nacogdoches, Alto, Rusk, Palestine, Fairfield, Teague and will go from here through Waco westward to El Paso and Los Angeles. This is the shortest route across the continent and is now more than 75 per cent hardsurfaced.

It is probable that the National office of the Lone Star Trail will be moved from Winnfield, La., to some Texas city.

The National officers are Senator Henry E. Hardtner, President Urania Lumber co., Alexander, La., president; Ben Johnson, President National Bank of Commerce, Shreveport, vice president; B. W. Bailey, President Bank of Winnfield, Treasurer; J. M. Hughes, Winnfield, La., Secretary-Manager.

Oil Show Huge Hit Featuring Safety First

TULSA, Okla., June 28.—Tulsa's second annual International Petroleum Exposition has assumed rather unlooked for large proportions at this date. Even those in authority, shaping the destiny of the exposition aver that they are just a little amazed at the growth it has attained four months before the opening day.

Any small glimmer of doubt about the complete success of last year's congress, the manager states was dispelled when all of last year's exhibitors came back and with them many others who failed to get into the band wagon at the first annual.

More than ordinary attention will be given to "Safety First" education at this year's show, the manager says. The topic is of vital importance to the industry. Just at this present moment tentative safety orders issued by the state of Oklahoma is engaging the official scrutiny of the Mid-Continent Oil and Gas association. Practical men in the different departments of the oil industry are making a minute survey of these orders looking to their revision, a task that has been put up to the Mid-Continent organization. A summary of these findings together with the results reached by the Bureau of Mines engineers in a research now in progress will be elucidated at the exposition.

Held Sane by Day, but Insane at Night.

JAMES E. MACUSKER.

One of the strangest cases on record is that of James E. Macusker, a Philadelphia publisher, who has been held by the courts there to be sane by day, but insane by night. So in the day time he directs his publications from his office, but is locked up at night in the Friends' Asylum at Frankfort, Pa. Macusker, formerly political leader, asserts he was "framed" by political enemies two years ago. Physicians, however, have declared him an incurable paranoiac, and it is upon this diagnosis that he is held.

ENTIRE FAMILY OF FIVE DEAD WITH HEADS CRUSHED

CHICAGO, June 30.—An entire family of five—Mr. and Mrs. Otto Eder and their three small boys—were found beaten to death in their suburban home near here early today. Heads of the victims apparently had been battered with a blunt instrument.

Immediately after finding of the bodies by neighbors, search was started for an acknowledged imbecile who had been living with the Eder family. The man's name was not known. The half-wit, according to neighbors has not been seen since Friday. The victims apparently had been dead more than a day.

A CUNNING THIEF

Percy Jones, job printer in the News office says the champion thief visited his garage Sunday night, and got off with several parts of his car, including the steering wheel, but left the key to the wheel, as Percy had that in his pocket—or the thief might have taken that too.

CHARGING BRIBERY CONSPIRACY AND ACCEPTING BRIBES

WASHINGTON, June 30.—A. B. Fall, Harry Sinclair, E. L. Doheny and son, Edward were indicted by a special grand jury investigating the leases of the naval oil reserves. Fall and both the Dohenys are charged on one count with conspiracy to defraud the United States, on the second count Fall will be charged with accepting a bribe, and the third count the Dohenys are charged with offering a bribe. On the fourth count Fall and Sinclair are charged with conspiracy to defraud.

BATTLE OF BALLOTS NOW ON; McADOO FORCES ARE ENCOURAGED

By A. GARLAND ADAIR

Special Staff Correspondent Mexia Daily News.

MADISON SQUARE GARDEN, New York, June 30.—With Smith, Underwood, and Cox virtually out, McAdoo forces are greatly encouraged and feel that this is to be a democratic year. He enters the days balloting stronger than at any time since the convention opened, with delegations from many states, uninstructed and who are to cast first votes for favorite sons, urging the states instructed for McAdoo to "stay in there and we'll finally come to you." Wall Street and the wets are frantically going through all political tactics to crush him.

Efforts are rumored of an attempt to bring up the Klan issue again but it is meeting with little encouragement.

Smith, who was reported to have said that he would withdraw if the Klan was not mentioned in the platform, now says he did not say anything to that effect, and some newspaper claims Saturday night was victory for him, with McAdoo showing up weaker than expected.

The day may tell the story, but the chances are that fifty ballots will be taken before the nominee is determined.

McADOO-SMITH

NEW YORK, June 30.—McAdoo is steadily holding his own; 431½ on first ballot and 442 on sixth. Smith gaining slightly too; 240½ on first ballot and 261 on sixth. No dark horse has yet forged away from the favorite son vote.

BIG FISH

HOUSTON, June 30.—C. L. Bering, armed with a tarpon fishing out fit "played" several human swimmers at a natatorium here and "landed" all but two of them in an exhibition. Each swimmer was allowed to swim half way across the pool before Bering started hauling them in.

Shuberts Put Interests in $25,000,000 Firm.

J. J. & LEE SHUBERT.

J. J. Shubert and his brother, Lee Shubert, of New York, America's foremost theatrical magnates, have merged all their vast theatrical interests into a $25,000,000 corporation. As a result, their chain of 85 playhouses, 30 of which are in New York, will be greatly increased and 25 per cent more plays will be produced.

DEATH TOLL IS 69 IN STORM IN OHIO

LORAINE, Ohio, June 30.—With the finding of six more bodies the death toll of the tornado reached 69. Property damage is $30,000,000. More than 300 were injured, many perhaps fatally. Governor Donahey is to ask for state wide aid. The militia is guarding the ruins.

FROM OBSCURITY TO PROMINENCE

NEW YORK, June 30.—Until yesterday Andy Erwin of Athens, Ga., and Larry Quigley of Chelsea, Mass. were just obscure Main street lawyers.

Today this pair of political infants are the outstanding figures of the democratic convention. For they stood the convention on its head in Klan fight last Saturday night and Sunday morning.

A. H. Berry returned from Toronto, Canada, Saturday where he attended the Rotary Convention as a delegate.

Delegates Forget Politics While They Pay Homage To Nation's Dead Chieftain

MADISON SQUARE GARDEN, New York, June 30.—The democratic convention adopted the following resolution in memory of President Harding:

"In political campaigns the American people are divided into opposing parties; after the election they are as one man in their allegiance to the government and in loyalty to the nation's chief executive. As democrats we stand uncovered beside the grave of Warren G. Harding, late president of the United States, vie with his most devoted friends in expressions of regret at his untimely death, and share the sorrow that has been brought into his home."

SEYMOUR CHOICE "SHOCK" TO NO ONE BUT NOMINEE

Even Celebration Had Been Arranged Yet Party Leader Knew Nothing of Plan to End Deadlock.

Editor's Note.—While the Democrats of 1924 decided their Presidential nominee in tempestuous sessions in Madison Square Garden, a veteran of the Democratic Party, and a keen observer of political events of six decades, calls to mind the last memorable Democratic convention in New York, 56 years ago. It was as warm a battle, with a sudden and surprising decision. The narrator is John B. Stoll, 81 years old, "political sage of Indiana" and a member of the Staff of the South Bend Tribune. —International News Service.

By JOHN B. STOLL

Written for International News Service.

NEW YORK, June 30.—Fifty-six years ago a great convention in New York thrust a Presidential nomination upon Horatio Seymour, despite his emphatic protestation "Your candidate I cannot be."

It was the first Democratic convention after the war. Twenty-one ballots were cast and then the issue was decided by a coup d'etat.

The Democratic voting element had for this or that reason been divided into various groups. Of the active aspirants for the Presidential nomination George H. Pendleton "Gentleman George," as he was proudly called by admirers, was easily in the lead. As a pleasing public speaker he stood in high favor. He was not averse to injecting a little demagogy into his campaigning. In order to make himself the exponent of what was called a most righteous cause, he championed the proposition of paying the bonds issued during the rebellion with greenbacks. The doctrine easily found many adherents.

There is little doubt that if the Republicans had not chosen Ulysses S. Grant as their standard bearer for 1868 the Democrats would assuredly have named that brilliant farrior as their nominee. There was a sharp contest between Democrats and Republicans as to which party should have for its leader General Grant, who up to that time had voted for only one candidate for the Presidency—James Buchanan, in 1856.

A formidable element favored the nomination of Chief Justice Salmon P. Chase, originally a Democrat, temporarily a Republican on the slavery question, fundamentally a believer in Jeffersonian Democracy. They seemed to have forgotten that in his teachings of democracy Samuel J. Tilden had placed a ban on any judicial officer seeking nomination to a political office.

The movement to nominate Chase had been skillfully planned. When it became apparent that Pendleton's chances had completely withered, his name was withdrawn. The highest point reached was 156½ votes. General Winfield Scott Hancock and Thomas A. Hendricks had gained steadily until the twenty-first ballot was passed.

General Horatio Seymour was permanent chairman of the convention, which was called in Tammany Hall, on Fourteenth street, July 4.

Formally placed in nomination for the Presidency was Pendleton, Andrew Johnson, of Tennessee; General Winfield Scott Hancock, of Pennsylvania; Sanford E. Church, of New York; Asa Packer, of Pennsylvania; Joel Parker, of New Jersey; James E. English, of Connecticut, and James R. Doolittle, of Wisconsin.

Though not formally placed in nomination Thomas A. Hendricks received 2½ votes from the very beginning and kept on gaining to the last.

After the twenty-first ballot had been tabulated the impression prevailed among a number of delegates that the following ballot would result in the nomination of either Hancock or Hendricks. But something was going on within two circles of manipulating spirts. One of these circles had in contemplation the nomination of Chief Justice Chase; the other, guided by the genius of Samuel J. Tilden, had satisfied itself that this was the psychological moment to spring upon the tired-out balloters the magic name of Horatio Seymour.

Called away from the chair to confer on some important matters, Seymour's absence was deemed an opportune moment to enact a coup d'etat. An orator of engaging voice gained recognition by the temporary chairman and pointed out Democratic duty and responsibility. His eloquence and logic soon won the heatrs of his hearers. In terms both pathetic and persuasive the orator moved that Horatio Seymour be declared the unanimous choice of the convention for President of the United States.

No pen, however gifted its holder, has ever succeeded in describing adequately the scene that followed the offering of this momentous proposition. Forgeting whatever preferences they may have cherished in their hearts, the delegates arose en masse and joined in a booming shout of approval. Long minutes and vigorous appeals for order were required before the deafening uproar could be subdued so as to enable the returned presiding officer to make himself heard.

Deeply affected by what had transpired, General Seymour finally succeeded in getting a hearing. Deprecating what had occurred during his absence, he implored his hearers to reconsider their action and proceed to place in nomination a standard bearer physically capable of engaging in a vigorous campaign. But the convention would not take "no" for an answer. The twenty-second ballot resulted in a unanimous vote (317) for Seymour.

How well and systematically the Seymour episode had been planed may be conjectured from an incident immediately following the Seymour demonstration. Outside Tammany Hall a vast multitude had gathered to learn the latest developments. Banners and transparencies heralding Seymour's nomination were abundantly in evidence and proudly held aloft. Wondering how such work could be done in so short a time, one of the Indiana delegates, Major Samuel W. Sprott, of DeKalb County, stepped up to one of these banners.

Running his finger over the lettering he exclaimed: "Begad, it's dry-"

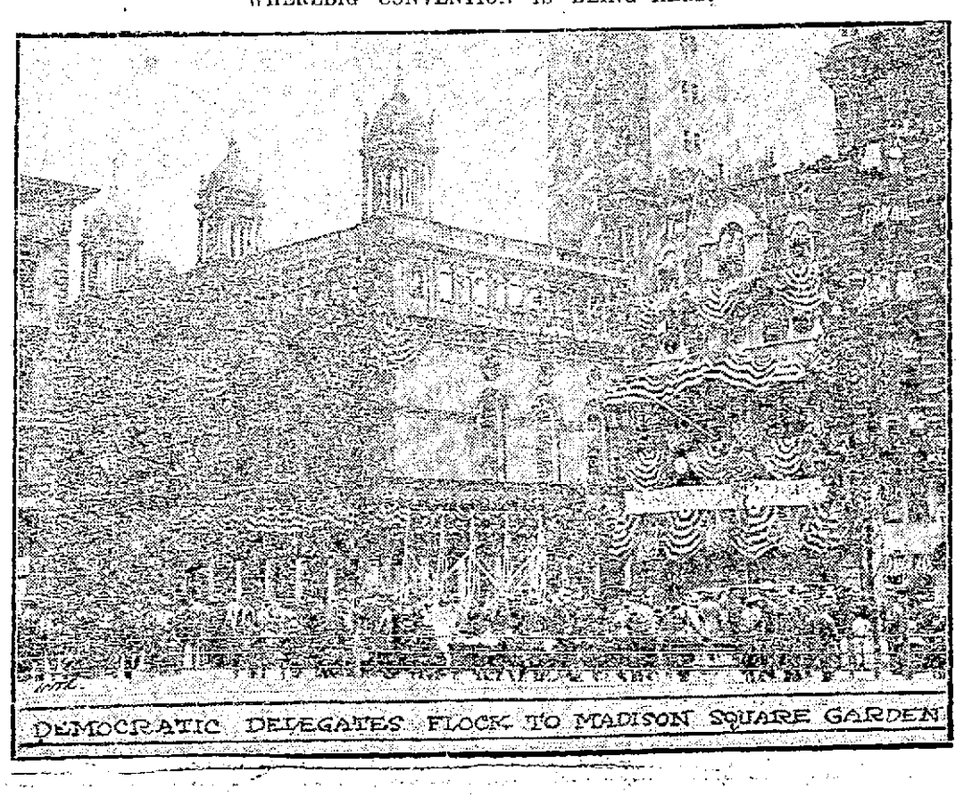
THE WEATHER.

East Texas.—Tonight and Tuesday partly cloudy; scattered thundershowers this afternoon or tonight in northeast. Cooler in east and south tonight except in lower Rio Grande Valley. Warmer in north Tuesday.

West Texas.—Tonight partly cloudy, probably thundershowers in extreme west. Cooler in extreme southwest tonight. Warmer in north Tuesday.

Madison Square Garden.—Tonight unsettled. Tuesday very doubtful.

WHEREBIG CONVENTION IS BEING HELD.



DEMOCRATIC DELEGATES FLOCK TO MADISON SQUARE GARDEN

The Revival Has Closed---Total Of Sixty Five Confessions

TWENTY-TWO FOR C. P. CHURCH AND SOME MORE

The revival at the Central Presbyterian church closed Sunday night with a forciful appeal from Dr. Young. Twenty-five people decided for Christ and several hundreds of church members signed cards rededicating their lives to Christ. A total of sixty-five people signed cards during the meeting to accept Christ and unite with the different churches of Mexia. Twenty-five of these decisions were men. Seventeen members were welcomed into the Central Presbyterian Church Sunday morning making a total of twenty-two additions up to the present time, making total of fifty new members since January 1st. About twenty more have signed cards promising to join the church.

Dr. Young and Mr. Croxton left with the heartiest expression of gratitude from the people of Mexia who had attended the services. Mr. Croxton is an artist and with his splendid voice has rendered many solos which have reached the heart. Dr. Young's sermons have all been of a more positive, clear cut, forciful type, as evidenced by the fact that so many red blooded men were reached. Dr. Young made it clear in coming to Mexia that he was not an evangelist but a pastor. Sensationalist, and mass psychology were not part of his methods, but rather clear logical, systematic presentation of the great central facts and fundamentals of the Christian faith.

The results secured are very gratifying to the pastor and officers of the church. Hundreds of men and women wavering somewhat in their faith in Christian certainties were strengthened. Sixty-five souls were reached for Christ. Over one hundred men and women were interviewed by personal workers regarding their soul's salvation. a large portion of this number being visited also personally by Dr. Young and the pastor, Rev. Aubrey. Not all of this number were brought to a decision but many of them were drawn nearer to God and can be led later to Christ.

In a meeting of the Session at the close of the evening service one of the elders stated that he could not remember when in the last ten or twlve years the church had ever had such a splendid meeting. Another elder stated that not for forty-four years since his connection with the church had he known it in such splendid condition, the results coming largely from the revival.

The primary purpose in bringing Dr. Young for the meeting was to demonstrate and assist in oranizing the whole church on an evangelistic basis, the work to be continually carried on during the year. The pastor and officers state that they feel that such a foundation has been laid that this goal can now be realized.

The pastor, Rev. Aubrey, in speaking of the meeting stated that never had he known a man of such great power and ability in personal work. He stated that Dr. Young had as his motto, "Write new business for God every day," and that he lived up to his motto. During his stay in Mexia instead of retiring to rest he could be found going everywhere to talk with men and women, in their homes stores, automobiles, on the streets, anywhere the opportunity afforded to reach them for Christ.

The members of the Rotary Club and the Lion's Club join in expression of appreciation of his splendid messages to them during his visit. Dr. Young in parting said that never had he enjoyed more the spirit of hospitality and cooperation which had been shown in Mexia. Rev. Aubrey, pastor of the church, said that the support received from the people of the churches and the town was splendid and was greatly appreciated, and that the hoped the meeting had meant the uplift and inspiration of many individuals and the community as a whole.

Prim Prest.

SCENE AT DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVENTION

DEMONSTRATION WHEN SEN. PHELAN, OF CAL., NOMINATED WM. G. McADOO

Aftermath Of Ohio's Great Storm; Many Dead And Injured

BISHOP T.F. GAILOR OF TENN. WHO OPENED SECOND DAY OF CONVENTION WITH PRAYER.

LORAIN, Ohio, June 30.—Amidst the shattered wreckage of her northern towns and vilages, Ohio today sought the full death toll from the ten minutes tornado which devastated Lorain and Sandusky Saturday night. Approximately 80 lives were lost in the storm, according to the latest chedkup.

Bayonets of national guardsmen gleamed among the ruins here, visible evidence of the martial law imposed in the wake of the storm to check vandalism and the threatened spread of small police.

As though artillary duels of Flanders had swept the lake front, trees lay uprooted, houses were in tangled heaps, roads impassable, church steeples toppled, while through the area of destruction wan-eyed relatives escorted by armed soldiers, still sought piteously for missing relatives and friends.

Lorain bore the full brunt of the sudden storm which struck first at Attica, passing off to Sandusky, to Lorain and spending its fury across the orchards of west Dover and Avon.

In the wake of the Ohio tornado—Lorain—fifty-nine known dead.

Property damage estimated $15,000,000.

Sandusky—Seven dead, damage estimated $1,000,00.

Mantua—Three killed in collopse of barns.

Avon—(near Lorain)—Three killed.

Cleveland—Two killed.

Akron—One killed.

Merina—Two swept from flooded bridge and drowned.

With the coming of daylight today, search for the bodies of more victims believed buried in ruined buildings, was renewed while a list of the injured being care-for in hospitals at Cleveland, Lorain and Iyria had mounted to 300. Many others were treated in private homes.

Property damage at Lorain amounted to approximately $30,000,000 five thousand were homeless.

Brigadier General J. R. McQuigg and his Cleveland troops was in military command of the city. Governor Donahey was here to organize and direct relief and reconstruction. He was to announce today whether he would ack the state emergency board for an appropriation.

Seven were killed at Sandusky, where the tornado cut a swath half a mile wide as it swept through the city to the bay. Property damage there was in the millions, with 200 to 500 homeless.

All Ohio seemed to be contributing today to the relief fund and the stores of clothing and provisions which were pouring in by train, truck and lake vessels.

Dawn Sunday found weird evidence of the tornado's pranks on every hand. It had sent a huge 100-foot smokestack toppling to slice off the rear of the Lorain high school.

Two hundred automobiles were flipped here and there for 35 blocks along Broadway, some overturned, some driven into the fronts of office buildings and shops. A metal roof was whipped from a dwelling and wrapped around a distant telephone pole.

One of Lorain's new churches was but a great heap of brick and mortar. The steeple of another had been hurled 100 feet from the edifice. On the city's main street, the front of an apartment house was shaved off, laying bare the front rooms with the furniture undisturbed.

The death toll in Lorain mounted to 60 with the death of three patients in hospitals, and the finding of six more bodies.

As rescue work proceeded rapidly under the leadership of the national guard and Red Cross, Governor Vic Donahey called a conference in Columbus for three o'clock to make a program for state-wide relief.

"The situation beggars description," Governor Donahey wired his secretary Jacob Muckstroth, at Columbus. "Conditions here are not understood by the citizens of Ohio. Call immediate conference of prominent Columbus business men to confer with me at three p. m. today for program of statewide relief for Lorain. Order immediately 500 oil stoves, two or three burners and make arrangements for delivery soon as possible here."

"The state guard and naval reserves are doing splendid work here under Brigadier General McQuigg. I am leaving Lorain at once by automobile for Columbus."

The Governor indicated that following the conference he will issue a proclamation calling on the entire state to come to the relief of stricken Lorain.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Mexia, Texas, June 30, 1924.

To My Friends, the Voters of Mexia:

I have read very carefully the Charter which will be submitted to the vote of the citizens of Mexia on Monday, July 7th. I think that the Charter shows that the members of the Charter Commission have worked very diligently in drafting such a Charter as is needed by the City of Mexia and they have been successful in providing for all its needs and in putting Mexia in a position to meet any contigencies that might arise.

The adoption of the Charter means a step forward to our city and every one wants to see Mexia progress, grow and become a boter place in which to live.

I earnestly appeal to you to go to the polls on next Monday, July 7th, and vote for the adoption of the Charter and in doing so, you will cast a vote for a BETTER AND GREATER MEXIA.

Very truly yours,
J. K. HUGHES.

Rough Dry.

FIRST BOTTLE OF TANLAC BROUGHT HER RELIEF

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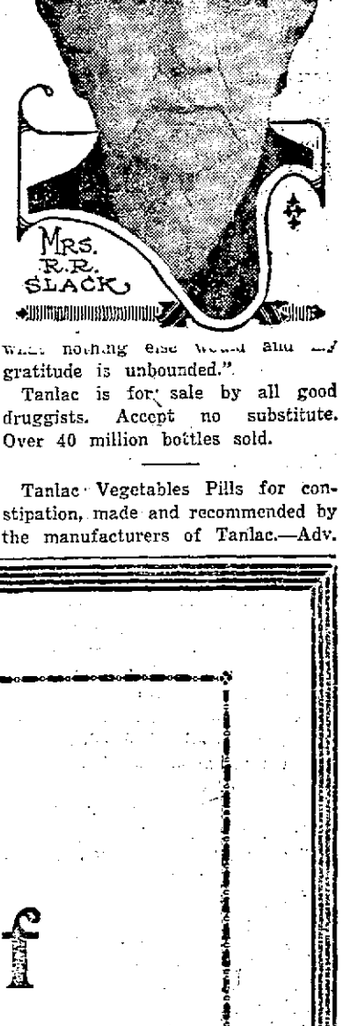

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THE COVER'D WAGON

Perfect Realism, Strong Love Theme, Collosal Out Door Scenes, Dramatic Action and Thrills, Happily Blended in Big Production.

One of the greatest photoplays ever made, will be the popular verdict when the motion picture public sees James Cruze's colossal Paramount production, "The Covered Wagon" which will be the feature at the National theatre this week. That is the prediction made not only by Mr. Cruze himself, but by those who have seen the picture and who hail it for its bigness, impressiveness and extraordinary realism.

Perfect realism, a strong love theme, tremendous dramatic action, thrills that are utterly unlike the ordinary sort; a background of real newness to the screen, where the camera has never before been ground; all these facts, coupled with the splendid cast of virtually 3,000 men and women, cerainly indicate a picture that is worthy of any director's enthusiasm. And James Cruze is enthusiastic. He has believed in the picture from the start and with each day of shooting, sometimes under conditions almost unbelievably difficult, his enthusiasm has grown. Nor is he alone in his belief, for every person in the drama of the old time western days shares his convictions.

The story with the vast sweep of the western plains for background, across which wind the "covered wagons" with their human freight, is essentially good picture material. The plot is dramatic with the interest well sustained, and the story unfolds like a stirring panorama of an earlier day.

The theme deals with adventures of a gallant young officer of the American army forced by a rival's enmity to clear his name of an undeserved stain, that of being a cattle-thief, and to win his bride under heavy difficulties. J. Warren Kerrigan is the man, Lois Wilson, the girl, and Alan Hale, the scheming villian . This trio does the major part of the acting, and to them along with the director, goes the credit for this superb production. Others in the cast are Charles Ogle, Ernest Torrence, Tully Marshall, Guy Oliver and John Fox.

The action is exceptionally thrilling, the incidents being dramatic and impressive. These include the fording of the Kaw River by the wagon train, the Indian attack and massacre, the prairie fire, the buffalo hunt, the fierce battle between Banion and Woodhull, the parting of the trains and tragic death of Woodhull. The action is speedy and thrilling.

Some Big Scenes.

Here are some of the big scenes in "The Covered Wagon."

The great wagon train leaving Westport Landing.

The fording of the Kaw River by wagon train.

The attack by Indians.

The massacre of the pioneers.

The prairie fire.

Molly's wild ride and rescue by Banion.

The scenes at Fort Bridger.

The parting of the train—for Oregon and California.

The fight between Banion and Woodhull.

The great buffalo hunt.

The death of Woodhull.

Spy Lincoln Is Involved in Fascisti Murder.

Ignatius T. Trebitsch-Lincoln, famous international spy, has been identified as "Otto Chirzel," under arrest in Rome on a charge of being involved in the murder of the millionaire Socialist Deputy, Giacomo Matteotti. Lincoln, born a Hungarian Jew, has been an Anglican curate, British Member of Parliament, and German spy. He was held by the Federal authorities in New York during the World War.

Aggressive War On The Fever Tick

FORT WORTH, June 30.—Cattle dipping in Texas to eradicate fever ticks was more active during May than it has been in several months, according to J. E. Boog-Scott, chairman of the live stock sanitary commission. The work is being done jointly by the commission and the Bureau of Animal Industry.

Work conducted in 157 counties resulted in dipping 2,072,904 head in 74,084 herds. Cattlemen throughout the state are working willingly as a rule, the commissioner said, and the campaign is gaining ground rapidly.

"During the next few months cattle dipping will continue actively," he said. "It is anticipated that several counties will be entirely cleaned by December first."

MRS. GEO. PEYTON ENTERTAINS

Mrs. George Peyton was hostess to the "13" Sewing Club on last Thursday afternoon. A most delightful place to entertain was the spacious porch of the home, many pots of ferns, bowls and baskets of flowers, making it a pleasing setting for the gathering of friends.

Several games of 42 were enjoyed before serving of refreshments of chicken sandwiches, ice tea and apricot ice.

Mrs. Giles, Mrs. J. K. Hughes and Mrs. McKinney were guests other than the club members.

Melvin The[illegible] of Groesbeck was in the city Friday.

American Teachers Studying In Mexico

SAN ANTONIO, June 30.—Headed by Prof. G. H. Patison, formerly of the college of William and Mary in Virginia, a party of 55 high school and university teachers left home June 30 for the City of Mexico. The teachers, who came from 18 states, will enroll in the summer courses at the University of Nacional and will spend two months in Mexico.

NEWS FROM E. L. SMITH AND FAMILY

June 25th: We are following the banks of the old Mississippi. Will arrive in Chicago at 8 p. m. today. Have just crossed the Wisconsin line. Keep your paper coming as we are keeping up with the news from home. Will be in Chicago about two weeks. Regards to all of our friends in Mexia.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Cook, and two children, Mrs. Jackie Cook, and Mrs. Zeno King will go to Corsicana Sunday. From there Mrs. Zeno King will go on to Dallas to attend the wedding of her cousin, Miss Marla Iley, which takes place Monday.

Judge Kimball of Groesbeck was a Mexia visitor Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Hughes and Bert Hollister motored to Dallas, Friday, returning Sunday.

Miss Frances England is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Lewis, 320 Sumpter street.

Mrs. W. T. Cox of Bay City, who is visiting her mother, Mrs. Dora Phillips, has been confined to her bed this past week on account of a bad tooth.

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LADIES' SUMMER SHOES

Tomorrow you will find in our Shoes Department about 200 pair of Ladies' Summer Shoes in many desirable colors for immediate wear. Leathers are those most in demand at this time. They're our reguar $8.95 to $12.50 values, placed on sale for next week at per pair—

$4.95

LADIES' SILK DRESSES

—Odd Lot of Ladies' Silk Dresses, Printed Crepes and Georgette Crepes. The sizes are from 14 to 40, in styles that are assorted and very attractive These dresses regularly sell from $24.50 to $34.50. All this week at each—

$14.95

MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS

—When you see this Odd Lot of Shirts on sale tomorrow you'll marvel at such wonderful values. They are made of silk fiber, silk stripe madras and other desirable materials in patterns with and without collars. Regularly selling up to $5.00, on sale all next week at—

$2.95

40 INCH DRESS VOILE

—Odd lot of 40-inch Dress Voile, many patterns just what is in demand for immediate wear. All desirable, this season's colors. Every yard a good value at the original price of 35c. Special price per yd.

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MEN' STRAW HATS

—One Odd Lot of men's straw hats in all sizes go in this Odd Lot Sale. They are styles just such as you want for these hot days. In bleached and brown straws. Reduced from $2.50 and placed on sale for next week at each—

$1.65

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79¢

LADIES' HATS

—One Odd Lot of Ladies' Summer Hats in White and Colors. Beautiful hats for hot days. Nothing but the very latest materials and trimmings are used in their construction. Values from $9.95 to $14.95 on sale all week, each—

$3.95

LADIES' SILK HOSE

—What a wonderful chance to supply your entire summer's needs at a great saving. Tomorrow morning this Odd Lot of Silk Hosiery will be placed out for your easy selection. You'll find in this lot the colors of Black, Brown, Nude, Grey, Fawn, Otter and White. Our regular $1.95 to $3.00 values, special at the pair—

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"For Mexia, I WILL"

Now that the platform is out of the way it is hoped that the delegates will name the candidates and get home in time to celebrate the glorious fourth.

Although the mayor of Galveston says the Texas delegation is composed of hoodlums it does not appear that a single one of them attempted to raise a rough house during the debate on the Klan plank.

Well, the Smith boys outdid the McAdoo bunch on their long-distance charivari.—Dallas News.

But they fell a little short in the voting when it came to condemning the Klan Saturday night.

The sixteen to one question is again up in a democratic convention. There were sixteen candidates to start with and only one can be chosen, and that one may still be in the background.

Those antis—pro and klan—made an awful lot of noise in boosting Al Smith in their big parade, but when it came to voting on the Klan plank the fuss was necessarily confined to the delegates and the Smithites were not in it. Had it been left to the galleries—stocked by the antis—no doubt the result would have been differnt.

That old gag about women talking more than men do was exploded when a woman delegate to the democratic convention marched down to the platform and seconded the nomination of one of the presidential candidates in exactly eighteen words and then took her seat as the tired crowd cheered. But maybe she has not yet learned how to talk politics.

Clarence E. Gilmore, Chairman of the Railroad Commission, is an outstanding character in Texas politics. His official acts on the Railroad Commission will wear the closest scrutiny, and his deliberate weighing of important matters that come before the Commission for adjudication have won for him the reputation of being one of the most conscientious, impartial and consistent public servants in our State government today. Mr. Gilmore's name will appear on the official ballot of the Democratic primaries for re-election to a second term, and we believe that the Texas Democracy should stand solid by a man who has served as faithfully as Clarence E. Gilmore has.

A. G. I. G. WEEKLY MEETING

Four of our Campfire Girls and our guardian met at the Legion Hall Tuesday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock From there we hiked to Wright's tank and had our business meeting under some trees. We then went in swimming for thirty minutes. We ate apples, oranges and bananas and drank soda pop. The members that were not there missed a great treat and I am sure they will meet with us Thursday at 5 o'clock at the Legion Hall.—Helen Cochrum.

THE EDITORIAL OF THE DAY

PALO DURO CANYON

Mineral Wells Index.

We have never enthused very much over the project of State Parks but after some investigation and personal observation we are in favor of the State taking over and developing at least two. One of these should be the Davis Mountains, the other the famous Palo Duro canyon in the Panhandle.

It was our pleasure to visit, explore and enjoy a small sector of this wonderful freak of nature last week. About fifteen miles south of Amarillo, encompassed in a large cattle ranch belonging to Mr. Harding, who, by the way, is doing some things toward making a tourist park out of the canyon, there lies a part of this attractive work of nature. The canyon proper is said to be some sixty miles long, running in a general East and West direction, zigzagging its scenic way through two counties and a number of cattle ranches. Approaching over he level plains surrounding it the tourist hardly realize its existence until reaching the very brink of it, and is looking down upon a scene of wooded grandeur that causes one to pause in wonderment.

Palo Duro means "continuing woods," or "continuing trees" and descending into it one finds that it is well named. There are trees everywhere along the banks of a stream that follows the windings of the overhanging cliffs. While the whole of it is beautiful, its rugged beauty being emphasized by its unexpected comparison with the plains through which it winds its tortuous way, there are sectors that rival in natural beauty the show places of the nation. The Devil's Kitchen, where the editors were entertained and where an adjourned session of the convention was held, is worthy of exploitation that it so far has not received. We were told that other parts of the canyon were equally as beautiful as that we visited. There are innumerable springs of cold, clear water, plenty of shade, and vari-colored cliffs, stuccoed with the mud nests of swallows that form a never-ending surprise to the visitor.

Palo Duro Canyon is a great gash cut deep but weavering by some giant hand in the face of the plains, seemingly as a relief from monotony. It is well worthy the development of the State, furnishing as it would a play place for the people of Texas and attracting thousands of tourists from abroad. Give the people the Palo Duro and three hundred miles south, the Davis Mountains as play-places, and the State will have done well for its children. The bathing resorts on our gulf coast will always attract and when those two state parks are added, Texas will have every inducement that any other state in the Union has, and more than many popular resort states have to offer to the tourists of our great traveling commonwealth.

LETTERS From the People

PAT ENDORSES FELIX

Editor Mexia Daily News,
Mexia, Texas.

I have been following the views of the verious candidates for governor, as they have been expressed from time to time in the columns of the daily press and I want to endorse the plan suggested by Felix Robertson as published in The Dallas Times-Herald of issue June 21st as being, to my mind, the most feasible and comprehensive of any that has been suggested for the elimination of red tape and the reduction of cost in the administration of the affairs of our state.

Robertson is advocating "common sense" in conducting the affairs of state government and he is using common sense in the prosecution of his campaign as is evidenced by the above named plan to name competent advisory boards upon the three paramount questions connected with running our state's affairs.

He would, it seems, name three committees. One upon Revenue and Expenditure, one upon law enforcement and one upon public education. These are the three great questions that need our attention at the present time, and his plan for the selection of these committees assures us that the best minds our legislature has will be employed in devising the most desirable system of bringing about much needed changes.

From an unbiased point of view it seems to me that Robertson is far the best material for governor in the race.

He is progressive without being radical and is aggressively constructive. He suggests the abolition of nothing that cannot be replaced by something more effective.

He is a forward looking hopeful enthusiast who believes in the law of love and that the best results will be obtained only when the legislature and the governor work in harmony and give to the people of this state the best product the combined efforts of their heads, hearts and hands.

—L. S. PATTERSON.

HIS SIN PROVES A BLESSING TO HUMANITY

"Here lies Salvino degli Amati, inventor of spectacles.

"May God pardon his sins."

This is the epitaph on the tomb of Salvino degli Amati, in Florence. This Florentine monk invented spectacles in 1285, and when he ground his lenses and took the burden off the eyes and placed it on the nose, he established the freedom of the "see."

As with clothing, furniture, shoes and every other thing which man employs for his comfort, styles in glasses change, and as with all styles, they work around a circle and come back after a period, although usually in more elegant form.

When Hendric Hudson sailed for the first time past Manhattan Island, his associates looked up the Indian trail which is now Broadway through spectacles with crude iron rims chisled from solid metal by hand, William Penn wore iron rimmed glasses, but with the sliding extensions. Ben Franklin's frames were of brass. To Ben Franklin is given the credit for inventing double focus lenses.

When spectacles were first made, their only purpose was to enable people to see more clearly. But wearers of glasses soon began to consider their appearances, and at that moment entered the "glass of fashion." Now they are changing their glasses as they change their clothes, and selecting their spectacles to suit their personalities. Fortunately, the wearing of the monocle never became fashionable. That styles in glasses are not a new thing is shown by their history. Two hundred years ago the nobles of France and ngland used the "quiz glass." This was a dainty lens, for its day, mounted in a gold chased a bushel. frame something like a watch. The lorgnette has been called its granddaughter, and the monocle its grandson. Horn and leather goggles became popular in Europe in the Seventeenth Century, and aviator's goggles hark back to the general principle of the leather goggles of that century.

COLLIN ONION CROP

McKINNEY, Texas, June 28.—Five hundred carloads of big white onions are expected to be shipped from Collin county this year. The fine ones to be marketed this season brought $1

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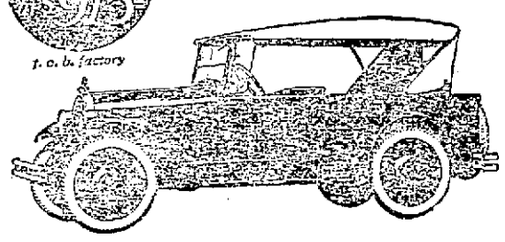

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Bad Liquor Got Mexican In a Hole

HOUSTON, June 30.—A combination of bad liquor, an argument, and an eight foot hole dug for a telephone pole brought near-tragedy to a Mexican here.

He had been drinking with three companions all evening. The argument was a purely "friendly" affair, but it soon waxed hot and developed into a fight—three on one side and one on the other.

The lone fighter fled, but was quickly recaptured. Then the gaping telephone pole hole caught the eye of one of the three. Shouting to his allies, he pointed to the hole.

With admirable aim, considering their condition, the three up-ended the solitary victim and thrust him head first into the hole. Fortunately the bottom of the hole was dry, and after an hour of agonized struggling he managed to extricate himself.

Police are searching for the three, although they are inclined to lay most of the blame on the all too handy cavity.

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Marriage License

The following marriage license were issued during the two week period ending June 24:

Lee Palmer and Doretha Sims.
Luther Ross and Robbie Proctor.
Leroy Hightower and Zelma Harpar.
E. Z. McLendon and Janie Watson.
Barney Lambright and Sarah Maiden.
Clifton Lauderdale and Jessie Mae Mills.
E. B. Lowery and Evelyn Carroll.
E. D. Jefferson and Francis Thomason.
James Pruitt and Braddie Wright.
John F. Whisenant and Nellie G. Foshee.
Sam J. Tulios and Mrs. Dorie Bowen.
Ples Buchannan and Velma Ferguson.
Lois Hager and Maggie Caldwell.
L. O. Means and Ivenee Wright.
Earl Hadley and Tenisey Leans.
Honroe Johnson and Lennie Tucker.
D. W. Lee and Lena Tatum.
Dave Davis and Maud Crouch.
Arnold Kent and Beatrice Sherrod.
Charlie O'Neal and Francis Gladden.
Geo. W. Archer and Zella Roberts.
Wilder Carter and Nettie Echols.
Zick Carter and Clara Elkins.
P. W. Taliaferro and Edna Pitaich.

Births.

The birth records of the past two weeks show an unusual number of girl babies as compared to the number of boy babies born. The records for the wo weeks period ending June 24 show that eleven births were recorded of which number ten were girls. They are as follows:

To Mr. and Mrs. Irby Nance of Thornton a girl on June 20.
To Mr. and Mrs. H. Farr of Coolidge a girl on June 18.
To Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kupper of Mexia a girl on June 10.
To Mr. and Mrs. James A. Tucker of Thornton twin girls on June 2.
To Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Slaughter of near Groesbeck a girl on June 10.
To Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Vaughan of near Farrar a girl on June 11.
To Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Crutcher of near Groesbeck a girl on May 30.
ToMr. and Mrs. W. L. Shillings of Delia a boy on June 6.
To Henry Harris and wife (col.) of Kosse a girl on June 8.
To Jim S. Tatum and wife (col.) of Groesbeck a girl on June 17.

Civil Cases Filed in District Court.

The following new civil cases were filed in the 87th District Court during the two week period ending June 24:

4628-B Eura Jones vs Pat B. Jones.
4629-B R. E. Comeans vs M. I. Della Comeans.
4630-B Elnora Robinson vs Elija Robinson.
4631-B C. F. Hegler vs Eddie Hegler.
4632-B The State of Texas vs Eugene Jackson.
4633-B The State of Texas vs J. A. Dunn et al.
4634-B The State of Texas vs J. A. Dunn et al.

CROSSES CONTINENT IN 22 HOURS.

Lieutenant Russell A. Maughan, U. S. A. Air Service, is shown here in the Curtiss pursuit airplane in which he flew from Mitchel Field, Long Island, to Crissy Field, San Francisco, a distance of 2,350 miles, in 21 hours 48 minutes, with four intermediate stops. His actual flying time was 18 hours and 26 minutes.

4635-B The State of Texas vs Lester Allen.
4636-B The State of Texas vs Lester Allen.
4637-B Mrs. Blanche Tate vs T. D. Tate et al.
4638-B Lena Plemons Frazell vs Oscar Frazell.
4639-B Sinclair Crude Oil Purchasing Co. vs L. E. Wuneburger.
4640-B Cora Daniels vs Leroy Daniels.
4641-B Emma Batcheley vs Ernest Batcheley.

Deaths.

The following deaths in Limestone county were recorded during the two week period ending June 24

Infant of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Parr of Mexia died February 14.
, 63, of near Groesbeck, died June 5.
erding, 32, of Groesbeck, died June 6.
Ella Hicks (col.) 53 of Mexia died June 9.

Civil Cases in County Court.

The following new civil cases were filed in the county court of Limestone county during the two week period ending June 24:

1084 Patterson Jewelry Co. vs W. G. Allen.
1085 A. C. Meagher vs Rotar Disc Bit Co., Inc.
1086 Prendergast-Smith National Bank vs W. C. Hardin et al.

Just Had To Have Work, Got A Lift

FORT WORTH, June 30.—A frail little woman walked into US farm labor bureau office here with three children trailing her and asked for a job as harvest hand in the Oklahoma fields. "I've got to go," she said. "I've tracked through this town for days and can't find anything to do. These kids are hungry and that's bad when they're this age." The men in the bureau made up a purse to send her to her father's home in Oklahoma.

SALUTE THE FLAG

PORT ARTHUR, June 30.—Local citizens are lacking in respect to Old Glory, according to police officials. During a parade here in which the flag was carried at the head of the column, not a single head was bared as the standard was borne between the crowd of watchers. At least none were observed by officers participating in the march.

HOPE AND HOPE

PORT ARTHUR, Texas, June 28.—Hope springs eternal—which was clearly shown when a prisoner was arraigned before Judge Dyens for drunkeness.

Said the judge: "This is the first time you've ever been before me on a drunk charge. I sincerely hope it [illegible] your last."

Quoth the prisoner: "Judge, you [illegible] same thing, except I hope it stronger than you could poss[illegible] bly hope."

"Well," replied the court, "I hop[illegible] we can get our hopes together on th[illegible] matter. Ten dollars and costs"—th[illegible] last, hopefully.

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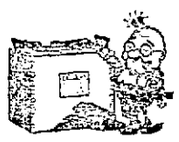
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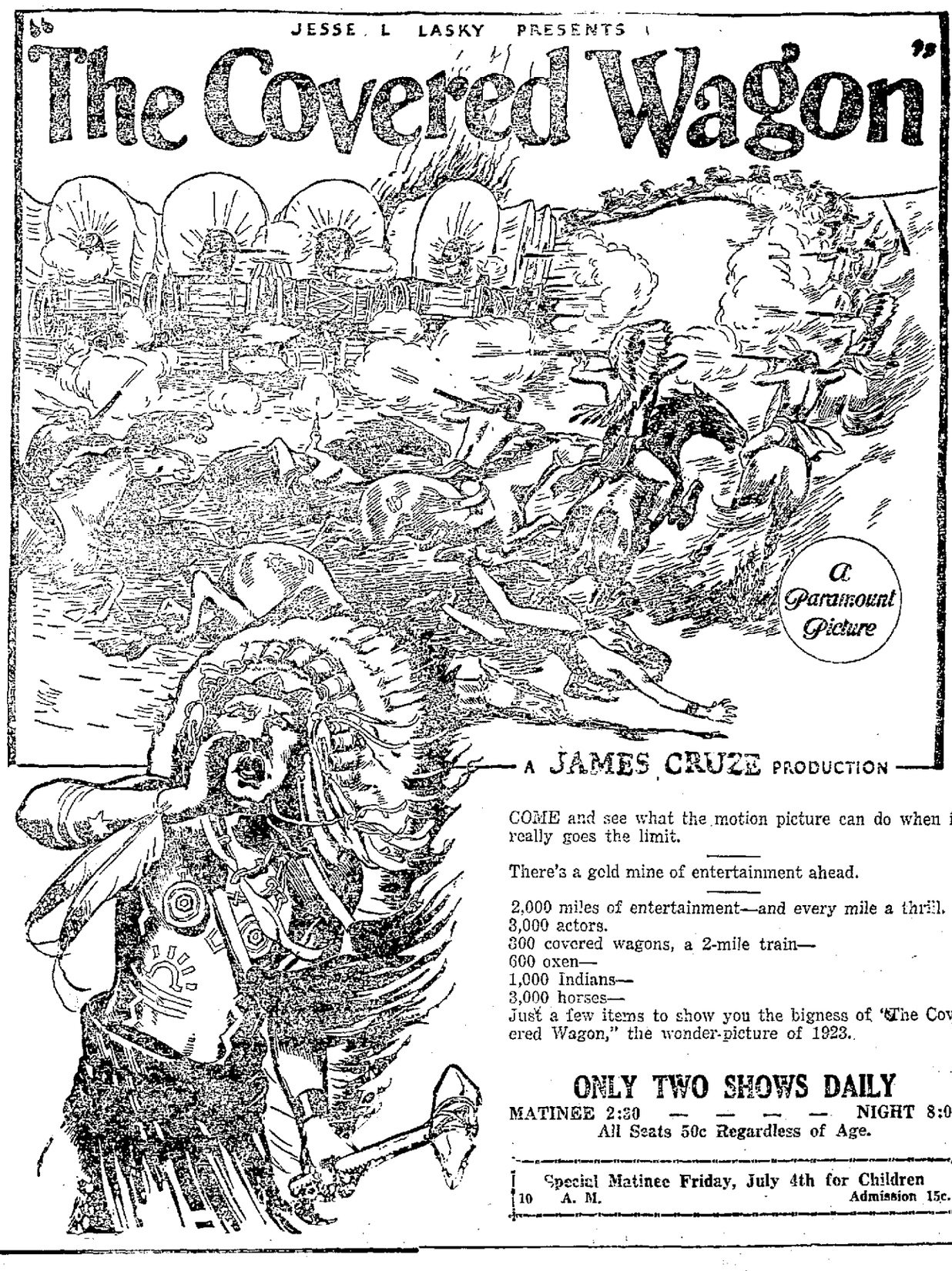

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Yesterday's Results.
Waco 2-3, Temple 1-0.
Corsicana 6-3, Marlin 1-4.
Austin 9-7, Mexia 6-0.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct
Corsicana	5	4	1	.800
Mexia	5	3	2	.600
Marlin	5	3	2	.600
Austin	5	2	3	.400
Waco	5	2	3	.400
Temple	5	1	4	.200

Where They Play Today.
Mexia at Austin.
Marlin at Corsicana.
Waco at Temple.

AUSTIN 9-7, MEXIA 6-0.

AUSTIN, Texas, June 30.—Austin grabbed both games, 9-6 and 7-0. Clements' homer won the first game in the ninth with two on. Humphreys, recently acquired from Corsicana, allowed one hit in the five rounds he worked in the second game.

Austin—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Cannon l f	5	1	1	3	0	0
Clements s s	5	2	3	3	3	0
Courtney r f	4	0	0	0	0	0
Anheier 1 b	4	1	1	8	1	0
Bedford c f	4	2	1	5	1	1
Chancy 2 b	2	0	0	3	4	1
Matlock 3 b	4	1	1	1	1	0
Henderson c	4	1	2	4	0	1
Fleharty p	3	0	1	0	0	0
Whitwith p	1	1	1	1	1	0
Total	36	9	14	27	11	3
Mexia—						
Geppert s s	5	0	1	4	5	1
Fowlkes c	5	1	5	2	2	0
Butler l f	4	1	0	1	0	0
Seeley r f	5	1	2	1	1	0
Jones 3 b	4	0	0	0	2	0
Bryan c f	4	0	1	5	1	0
Bean 1 b	3	1	0	8	0	0
Leedy 2 b	4	2	2	3	2	0
Peel p	2	0	0	0	2	1
Jeffries	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	37	6	11	24	15	2

None out when winning runs scored in 9th.
Jeffries hit for Peel in 7th.
Mexia ..... 000 002 150—6
Austin ..... 022 002 003—9

Home runs—Leedy 2, Bedford, Seeley, Clements. Two-base hits—Matlock, Whitworth. Stolen bases—Fowlkes, Chaney, Cannon. Strike-outs—By Peel 1, by Fleharty 3, Coleman 1. Bases on balls—Off Peel 1, Fleharty 1. Pitching record—Off Fleharty 11 hits, 6 runs in 8 innings, Whitwith no hits, no runs in 1 inning; Peel 10 hits, 6 runs in 6 innings; Coleman 4 hits 3 runs in 2. Winning pitcher—Whitworth. Losing pitcher—Coleman.

Second Game.

Austin—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Cannon l f	3	2	2	0	0	0
Clements s s	3	1	2	1	2	0
Courtney r f	3	1	1	1	0	0
Anheier 1 b	3	1	2	11	0	0
Bedford c f	3	0	0	1	0	0
Chaney 2 b	3	0	0	0	4	0
Matlock 3 b	3	1	1	1	2	0
Henderson c	3	1	1	6	1	0
Humphreys p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Total	25	7	9	21	9	0
Mexia—						
Geppert s s	2	0	0	1	1	0
Butler l f	3	0	0	1	0	0
Bryan c f	2	0	0	1	0	0
Secley r f	3	0	1	1	1	0
Jones 3 b	2	0	0	2	0	0
Bean 1 b	2	0	0	6	1	0
Leedy 2 b	3	0	0	0	3	0
Williamson c	3	0	0	5	0	0
Hill p	2	0	0	1	2	0
Fowlkes	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	22	0	1	18	7	0

Fowlkes batted for Bean in 7th.
Mexia ..... 000 000 0—0
Austin ..... 300 121 *—7

Home runs—Anheier, Matlock. Two base hits—Clements, Courtney, Anheier. Struck out—By Humphreys 5, Hill 5, Whitworth1. Bases on balls—Off Humphreys 1, Whitworth 3. Winning pitcher—Humphreys. Stolen base—Cannon.

MONDAY'S FIVE BEST RADIO FEATURES

WLW, Cincinnati, 424M 8 p. m.—Municipal opera direct from the Zoological gardens.

WJZ, New York, 455M, 7:15 p. m. EST—Goldman's band.

WDAF, Kansas City, 411M 8 p.m. CST—WDAF Minstrels.

WOR, Newark 405M 7 p. m. EST—Newark oratorio society.

KPO, San Francisco—423M 9 p. m. PCST—Concert program with soprano and baritone solos and violin selections.

NOTICE.

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BABE RUTH'S BAT FOR AL SMITH.

"Bustin' Babe" Ruth, of the New York Yankees, world's champion slugger and home run hitter, presented his famous home run bat to Governor Alfred E. Smith, of New York, with the expressed hope that with it Mr. Smith would be able to bat in the Presidential nomination.

CORSICANA 5-3, MARLIN 1-4.

CORSICANA, Texas, June 30.—Corsicana and Marlin split a double-header here Sunday. Corsicana took the first 5 to 1, and Marlin the second 4 to 3.

Corsicana—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Etheridge l f	1	1	2	0	0	0
Grubb 3 b	3	2	0	6	1	0
Thornton 1 b	4	1	1	13	9	2
Brown c f	4	0	1	0	0	0
Barrett r f	3	0	1	0	0	0
Malmuist 2 b	3	1	2	4	2	0
Sain s s	3	0	0	1	5	0
Vann c	3	0	0	3	0	0
Hollis p	2	1	1	0	4	0
Total	29	6	8	27	21	2
Marlin—						
Craig c f	4	0	1	1	0	0
White 3 b	4	0	0	3	1	0
Greer l f	4	0	0	1	0	0
Alexander 2 b	4	0	1	1	2	0
Munson r f	3	0	0	3	0	0
Pipkin 1 b	3	0	0	8	0	0
Rawlings s s	3	0	0	7	2	0
Covington c	2	0	0	3	2	0
Gressett p	2	1	1	0	2	0
Total	29	1	3	24	9	0
Marlin				000	031	000—1
C				000	031	01*—5

Home run—Barrett. Two-base hits [illegible] 2, Malmquist, Etheridge 2. Struck out—By Gressett 3, Hollis 3. Bases on balls—Off Gressett 4, Hollis 2.

Second Game.

Corsicana—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Etheridge l f	3	0	1	0	0	0
Grubb 3 b	1	1	0	3	0	0
Thornton 1 b	3	0	1	9	0	0
Brown c f	2	0	2	0	0	0
Barrett r f	2	2	1	3	0	0
Malmquist 2 b	3	0	1	3	1	1
Sain s s	2	0	0	2	2	1
Hamilson c	2	0	1	2	0	0
Arguijo p	3	0	0	0	3	0
Vann c	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	21	3	5	21	6	2
Marlin—						
Craig c f	4	1	1	3	0	0
White 3 b	3	0	0	1	6	1
Alexander c	3	0	0	0	1	0
Munson r f	3	0	0	0	0	0
Pipkin 1 b	3	1	0	12	0	0
Rawlings s s	3	0	1	3	3	0
Gressett l f	3	1	2	2	0	0
Biggers p	1	1	0	0	1	0
Total	26	4	4	21	13	2
Marlin				010	030	0—4
Corsicana				110	001	0—3

Two-base hit—Malmquist. Struck-out—By Argijo 2. Bases on balls—Arguijo 2, Biggers 1.

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37 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 5:14 a. m.
17 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 4:35 a. m.
19 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 3:55 a. m.
South bound—
346 To cut-off ..... 7:00 a. m.
16 Houston San Antonio ..... 11:45 a. m.
32 From Dallas ..... 10:08 a. m.
38 Austin San nAtonio ..... 12:21 a. m.
18 Houston San Antonio ..... 1:37 a. m.
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WACO 2-3, TEMPLE 1-0.

WACO, Texas, June 30.—The Waco Indians won a double bill from Temple Sunday, 2-1 and 3-0. The Surgeons made four hits in the opener and only two in the second.

Waco—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kelly l f	4	0	1	5	0	0
Strickland 3 b	2	0	0	3	1	0
Lewis s s	2	0	0	1	0	0
Caffey r f	3	0	0	2	0	0
Hall 3 b	3	0	1	0	1	0
Shires 1 b	3	1	1	5	2	0
Humphreys c	3	1	1	7	3	0
Provence c f	3	0	2	3	0	1
Schmid p	2	0	0	1	1	0
Total	25	2	6	27	8	1
Temple—						
Lance 3 b	3	1	1	2	3	0
Wren l f	4	0	0	0	0	0
McElwee r f	3	0	0	1	0	0
Storey 2 b	4	0	1	3	4	0
Lind 1 b	3	0	3	12	1	0
Leissner c f	3	0	0	0	0	0
Rich s s	3	0	0	0	2	0
Lacy c	3	0	0	6	3	0
Nugent p	2	0	0	0	3	0
Hudspeth	1	0	0	0	0	0
Total	29	1	4	24	6	0

Hudspeth batted Lessiner in 9th.
Temple ..... 100 000 000—1
Waco ..... 020 000 00*—2

Home runs—Lance, Humphreys. Two-base hits—Shires. Stolen base—Lance. Struck out—By Nugent 4, by Schmid 8. Bases on balls—Off Nugent 1, Schmid 3.

Second Game.

Temple—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Lance 3 b	3	0	0	0	0	0
Wren l f	3	0	0	0	0	0
McElwee r f	3	0	1	1	0	0
Storey 2 b	3	0	0	2	2	2
Lind 1 b	2	0	0	9	1	0
Leissner c f	2	0	1	0	0	0
Rich s s	2	0	0	1	2	0
Hudspeth c	2	0	0	1	0	0
Pipkin p	2	0	0	2	3	0
Total	22	0	2	18	12	2
Waco—						
Kelly l f	3	0	0	0	0	0
Strickland 2 b	3	0	1	1	3	0
Lewis s s	3	0	0	3	1	0
Caffey r f	3	0	1	0	1	0
Hall 3 b	3	1	0	0	2	1
Shires 1 b	2	1	2	10	3	0
Humphreys c	1	0	0	1	1	0
Provence c f	2	1	1	5	0	0
Green p	2	0	1	1	2	0
Total	22	3	6	31	13	1
Temple				000	000	0—0
Waco				010	000	2—2

Home run—Provence. Stolen base—Hall. Struck out—By Pipkin 1.

A PAIR OF 'EM

HOUSTON, June 30.—Two men, both by the same name but not related are in the same cell here on the same charge, deserting the U. S. Army. J. M. McDonald was arrested at Port Arthur and W. E. McDonald was taken into custody here.

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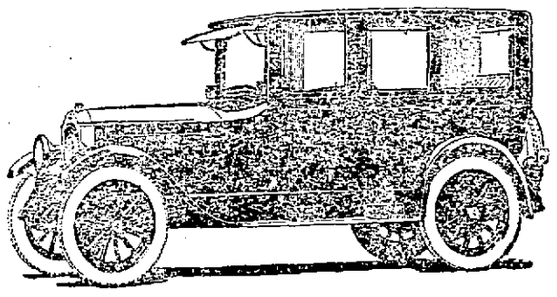

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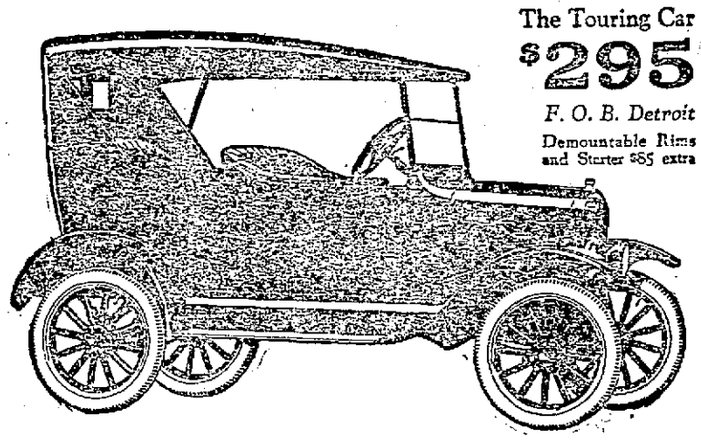

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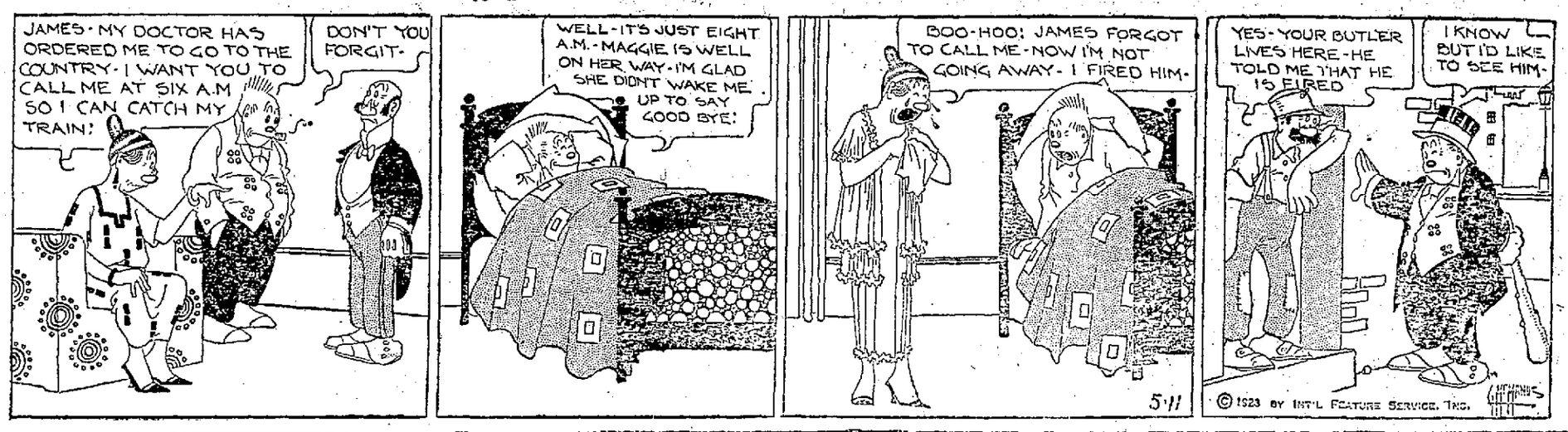
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An ordinance ordering an election in the City of Mexia, Texas, to be held on the 7th day of July, 1924, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of the City of Mexia, Texas, for the adoption or rejection of the proposed charter, prepared and framed by the Charter Commission heretofore elected, and designating the places at which said election is to be held, and appointing presiding officers thereof and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, on the 11th day of February, 1924, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, duly enacted an ordinance, submitting to the qualified voters of said City, at an election ordered and held for the purpose, on the 18th day of March, 1924, the question: "SHALL A COMMISSION BE CHOSEN TO FRAME A CHARTER"? and also providing for an election of fifteen members of a charter commission in case a majority of the votes cast at such election should be in favor of the choosing of such a commission, and which ordinance was duly approved and published and notices of such election were duly given as required by law; and

WHEREAS, said question was duly submitted and voted upon at said election in said city on said date, and the majority of the qualified voters voting at such election voted in favor of the choosing of a commission to frame a charter, and also a majority of the qualified voters voting at said election, voted in favor of fifteen citizens of said city to compose said Charter Commission; and

WHEREAS, said election was duly and legally held on the said 18th day of March, 1924, and results of said election was duly certified and returned to the City Commission by the proper election officers; and

WHEREAS, on the 21st day of March, 1924, this commission considered the several returns and canvassed the same, and found that there were cast, at said election, six hundred twenty-seven (627) votes, of which number five hundred five (505) votes were cast for the choosing of a charter commission, and one hundred twenty-two (122) votes were cast against the choosing af a charter commission, and this commission thereupon, by resolution, duly entered, declared that the proposition so submitted was sustained and adopted by a majority vote of the qualified voters of said city, voting at said election; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, has examined into and investigated the regularity of the proceedings for said election and finds that the same was duly and legally held, that the notice required by law to be given has been duly and legally given, and that said election was conducted in strict conformity with all the requirements of law; and

WHERAS, each and all of said fifteen citizens, so elected, duly qualified as members of said charter commission, and met and organized the same, and duly proceeded to frame a charter for the City of Mexia, Texas, and heretofore, on the 27th day of May, 1924, as such commission, signed such proposed charter and duly provided for the submission of the same to a vote of the qualified voters of said City, at an election to be held upon the question of the adoption or rejection of such charter upon the 7th day of July, 1924; and

WHEREAS, the said Charter Commisison provided that the present City Commission shall call an election for such purpose; and

WHEREAS, the said Charter Commission will ratify and confirm and make the enactment of this ordinance its act and deed, and will make such ordinance its order for such election, all of which will be evidenced by the signature of the members of said Charter Commission appended hereto under the words: "APPROVED BY CHARTER COMMISSION"; therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MEXIA, TEXAS:

Section 1. That an election shall be held in the City of Mexia, Texas, on the 7th day of July, 1924, at which the following proposition shall be submitted:

"Shall the charter reported by the Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, on the 27th day of May, 1924, and which had been prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected by the qualified voters of the city of the 18th day of March, 1924, be adopted as the charter of the City of Mexia, Texas, as contemplated and authorized by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, including Chapter 147, Acts of 1913, Regular Session?"

Section 2. That the polling places and presiding officers of said election shall be, respectively as follows: the polling place shall be at the City Hall, in the City of Mexia, and W. B. Kendrick is hereby designated as presiding officer.

Section 3. That said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 147, Acts of 1913, Regular Session, and all persons qualified to vote in said City under the laws of this State regulating general elections shall be allowed to vote.

Section 4. That the manner of holding said election shall be governed by the general laws of the State of Texas, regulating general elections, when not in conflict with the provisions of the law hereinabove referred to.

Section 5. All voters desiring to adopt a charter so prepared and reported by the Charter Commission shall have printed on their ballot the following:

OFFICIAL BALLOT

"For the adoption of the Charter prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected on the 18th day of March, 1924, and which was reported by said Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia on the 27th day of May, 1924."

And those opposed shall have on their ballots the following:

"Against the adoption of the Charter prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected on the 18th day of March, 1924, and which was reported by said Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia on the 27th day of May, 1924."

Section 6. That the action of the aforesaid Charter Commission in calling the election for the purpose hereinabove stated, and in all other respects with reference to the framing and submitting of such proposed charter, are hereby ratified and confirmed, and the said Charter Commission, or the members thereof, shall ratify and confirm all things done by the present City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, with respect to the matters and things dealt with in this ordinance, and shall make the same their act and deed by subscribing their respective names hereunto under the caption, "APPROVED BY CHARTER COMMISSION," and such names as so subscribed shall be published as a part of this ordinance.

Section 7. A copy of this ordinance shall be sufficient notice of said election, and thirty (30) days notice of the time and place of holding the said election shall be given by posting certified copies thereof at the places designated for holding said election at least thirty (30) days prior to the holding of said election, and by publication of such notice not less than thirty (30) full days from date of election.

Section 8. The fact that the City of Mexia is at the present time without a charter and that the public intrests require the adoption of a charter, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity for the suspension of the rules requiring ordinances to be read upon more than one day and for the immediate taking effect of this ordinance, and such rules are hereby suspended, and it is ordained that this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval.

Passed and approved this the 27th day of May, 1924.

E. WATSON,
Mayor of the City of Mexia, Texas.
(Seal)
Approved:
Attest:
R. D. Morgan, City Secretary.
Approved by Charter Commission:
I. W. Keys
David Murphy
Ben F. Stollenwerck
B. R. Howard
Carl Davis
J. I. Riddle
C. A. Chambers
Mrs. Sam Cox
Mrs. Jack Womack
Mrs. W. W. Barnett
Mrs. Roy B. Bass
Mrs. John H. Sweatt
Phil Karner
J. Sanford Smith
W. Duke Pittman

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CANDIDATES

Announcements

1924 ELECTIONS

LIMESTONE COUNTY

The following candidates for the offices named submit their names subject to the action of the Democratic primary election to be held in Limestone county on the 26th day of July, 1924:

For Governor—
FELIX G. ROBERTSON.
For Senator 13th District—
HARRY P. JORDAN
For District Judge, 77th Judicial Dis.
C. H. MACHEN
A. M. BLACKMON (Re-election.)
W. R. BOYD, (Freestone County.)
For District Attorney,
77th Judicial District—
LUTHER B. AULTMAN
For Judge 87th Judicial District—
J. ROSS BELL
(Re-Election 2nd Term)
J. E. WOODS.
L. E. EUBANKS
For District Clerk—
M. A. AINSWORTH.
For Representative, Sixth Congressional District—
LUTHER A. JOHNSON
(Re-Election Sought)
For Representative Limestone County
W. P. ALEXANDER
For County Judge—
H. F. KIRBY (Re-election sought)
JOHNSON WAKEFIELD
B. W. MILES.
For County Clerk—
J. L. DAY, (re-election, 2nd. term.)
For County Tax Assessor—
TOM M. CAIN
R. W. (BOB) STEEN
A. A. HYDEN.
J. L. HIGGINBOTHAM
For Tax Collector—
W. A. ROBBINS. (re-election.)
For County Treasurer—
MRS. LULA OATES, (re-election.)
H. C. FITZGERALD.
For Sheriff—
WHIT POPEJOY (re-election.)
For Commissioner Precinct No. 4—
JOHN M. KENNEDY, (re-election)
LUTHER COX.
County Attorney—
SCOTT REED (re-election, second term.)
For County School Superintendent—
J. J. BATES.
MRS. CORA FERGUSON
(Re-election.)
For Justice of the Peace, Pre. 4—
S. H. FLAKE
CHARLES L. CLOVER.
O. KENNEDY, (re-election, second term.)
For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 4
ROY H. STOKES, (re-election, second term.)
VIRGIL D. WOOD
For Constable, Precinct No. 4—
JOE P. FELZ
M. P. WILLIS

Prim Prest.

CRUDE OIL PRICES

Midcontinent.

Below 30 gravity	$1.25
30 to 32.9 gravity	1.45
35 to 35.9 gravity	1.75
36 to 38.9 gravity	2.00
39 gravity and above	2.25

Magnalia prices:

Below 28 grivity	$1.00
28 to 30.9 gravity	1.20
31 to 32.9 gravity	1.45
33 to 35.9 gravity	1.75
36 to 38.9 gravity	2.00
39 gravity and above	2.25

North Central Texas.

Corsicana light	$2.00
Corsicana heavy	1.00
Thrall	1.00
Mexia	2.00
Currie	2.25
Rockdale-Minerva	1.60

Owens Refining Company paying the following on Rockdale-Minerva:

36 to 38.9 gravity	$1.85
39 and above	2.00

South Texas.

Mirando	.80

Somerset.

Below 33 gravity	$1.15
33 to 35.9 gravity	1.40
36 to 38.9 gravity	1.60
39 gravity and above	1.75

Gulf Coast.

Grade A	$1.65
Grade B at Blue Ridge, Hull and Pierce Junction	1.40

Louisiana-Arkansas.

Caddo.

38 gravity and above	$1.70
35 to 37.9 gravity	1.60
32 to 34.9 gravity	1.50
Below 32 gravity	1.35

East Texas.

Nacogdoches shallow oil	$2.15

Premium of 50c a barrel over price of Texas Coastal Grade A crude posted for Nacogdoches shallow by Yuba Refining Company.

Homer.

35 gravity and above	$1.70
33 to 34.9 gravity	1.60
31 to 32.9 gravity	1.50
Below 31 gravity	1.35
33 gravity and above	1.60
Below 33 gravity	1.50

Bull Bayou.

38 gravity and above	$1.65
35 to 37.9 gravity	1.50
32 to 34.9 gravity	1.35
De Soto crude	1.70
Crichton	1.50
Bellevue	1.55
Jennings	1.65
Vinton	1.65
Edgerly crude	1.65
26 gravity and above	1.35
25 to 25.9 gravity	1.20
24 to 24.9 gravity	1.10

Smackover.

Below 24 gravity	1.00

El Dorado.

33 gravity and above	$1.70
Below 33 gravity	1.60
El Dorado east field (Calion)	1.00

Stephens District.
(Atlantic.)

Posted by Atlantic Oil Company:
28 gravity and above 60 degrees $1.40
26 to 27.9 gravity at 60 degrees 1.35
23 to 25.9 gravity at 60 degrees 1.20
Below 23 gravity at 60 degrees 1.00

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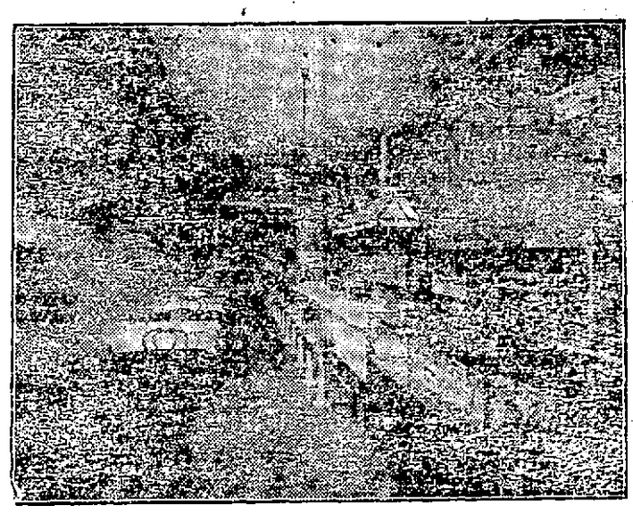

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Today - Tuesday - Wednesday
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OPERA HOUSE
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POPULAR MEXIA WOMAN CHARMS SAN ANTONIO ROTARY CLUB

From the Wheel of Fortune, the official organ of the San Antonio Rotary Club, we clip the following concerning a popular Mexia woman, Mrs. W. F. Box:

MADAME ALICIA PETTICLERC

It was indeed a rare treat to have as our guest at Friday's luncheon our old time friends and former San Antonian, Madame Alicia Petticlerc.

To the older members, Madame Petticlerc is known as the San Antonio songbird and if any evidence was necessary that she still retains her right to the title, it was demonstrated in the loud and continued applause that signified the Club's approval of her efforts.

Looking, if possible, more charming than ever and in splendid voice she favored us with three selections closing with "Home Sweet Home."

To many of us it seemed the old song carried an added touch of Pathos for truly San Antonio is home to Madame Petticlerc and while at this time her lot is cast elsewhere, her eyes are ever turned to the old city she loves and where she in turn is equally beloved!

Some years ago when the International Convention was held at Kansas City, Mo., Madame accompanied the San Antonio delegates, she having been accorded the distinguished honor of being selected to sing the opening number. To say that she captured the Convention is stating it mildly. During our stay she was in constant demand and with her charming voice and gracious manner endeared herself to all.

During the dark and trying days of the war, hers was the voice most often heard at the public gatherings and in the hospitals, ever adding cheer and encouragement to our then immense soldier citizenship.

Here's hoping the time is not far distant when she will return to us and we promise to readopt her, for she exemplifies to a superlative degree Rotary's motto—service.—Harry L. Miller.

Local News

J. C. Hodges is back from Galveston where he has been on a pleasure trip.

Miss Mary Ward has returned from a few days visit to her sister, Mrs. Fred Hofstetter, in San Antonio.

Mrs. Grady Schadles from Abilene, Texas, is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd at 511 Hopkins street.

Jess McLendon returned to Austin. Saturday evening to see the double header played there Sunday.

Mrs. Zeno King and little daughter Frances Elain left Sunday for Dallas to atend the wedding of Miss Marea Iley.

D. H. Butler, an old time Mexiaite, now living at Sweetwater, is in the city for a few days visit to old time friends.

Mrs. Crawley and daughter, Ruth, of Waco are visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. M. Strange. They leave Monday for home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. England of Celeste have returned to their home after a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Lewis of this city.

The friends of Mrs. A. L. George, of Teague, will rejoice to know that she is back home again after a successful operation in Dallas recently.

Miss Ruth Clark has returned from a few weeks visit to friends and relatives in Mississippi, where she went after attending the Confederate reunion in Memphis.

J. I. Riddle is leaving today for Chicago and other furniture markets and will be gone about three weeks. When he returns he will tell you all about it through this paper.

C. P. Tinley is here from Luling watching operations at the Moody well, work on which is being resumed. They are still in the Woodbine sand and hope to make a well of it finally.

The Mexia Daily News will celebrate the Fourth of July, and our custom is to not publish a paper on that date. So any ads or urgent job work you have, please get it in the shop not later than Thursday morning.

Captain Lawrence Hanes from Ennis will be with the Riddle Furniture Company while Mr. Riddle is away on his market trip. Mr. Riddle leaves today for Chicago and Grand Rapid, Michigan on a three weeks buying tour of the Eastern market for his big Furniture store.

Advertising is a most essential asset to your business.

MEN AND WOMEN IN NEWS OF THE DAY.

Above: PRINCE OF WALES & MADELEINE DEVER
Below: SADI LECOINTE & NICKY ARNSTEIN

The bachelor Prince of Wales, celebrating his 30th birthday in London, is reported to have told his intimate friends he did not intend to marry until he was 35. "Nicky" Arnstein, serving a term in the Federal Prison at Leavenworth, Kan., for implication in a huge bond theft in New York, has been returned to jail in New York City, and it is said he intends to turn State's evidence and involve many other persons. Sadi Lecointe, famous French flyer, competing for the Beaumont Cup at 500 kilometres in a 600 horsepower Nieuport airplane, made 300 miles an hour, the fastest time ever made in the air. Madeleine Dever, former Follies dancer, named as co-respondent in the New York divorce suit of Mrs. Philip M. Shaw against her wealthy husband, has now sued Shaw for $100,000, alleging breach of promise to marry, spurning his offer of marriage made in court.

Radio

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By DAISEY MAYS
(See Station Calls Above)
Tune In Time—Central Standard Time
June 30, 1924
6 to 7 p. m.

KGO, 6 to 7:30, Dance orchestra.
WDAR, 6, Talk.
WOAW, 6, Colored program.
WCX, 6, Musical program.
WGY, 6:15, "Fruit and Vegetable Distribution."
WOO, 6:15, Weekly health talk.
WGY, 6:25, Address on live stock.
WOAW, 6:30 to 7:30, Dinner program.
WGY, 6:30, Address.
KPO, 6:30 to 7:30, Seiger's orchestra.
WGY, 6:45, Salvation Army band.

7 to 8 p. m.

WLW, 7, Grand Opera.
WHB, 7 to 7:30, Music, Sweeny orchestra.
WOO, 7:10, Grand orchestra.
WWJ, 7:30, Schmeman's band.
WDAR, 7:30, Symphony orchestra.
WAAW, 7:30 to 9, Church choir.
KPO, 7:30 to 8:30, Children's hour.

8 to 9 p. m.

WOO, 8, Organ music.
WOS, 8, Address.
WDAR, 8, Dance orchestra.
WDAF, 8 to 9:15, Program by orchestra and WDAF, Minstrels.
WOS, 8:20, Musicale.
WOO, 8:30, Sylvania dance orchestra.
WFAA, 8:30 to 9:30, Program.
WWJ, 8:30, News orchestra.

9 to 10 p. m.

WOAW, 9 to 11, Recital program.
KPO, 9 to 9:30, Seiger's orchestra.

10 to 11 p. m.

KPO, 10 to 11, Organ music.
KGW, 10 to 12, Musical program.
KHJ, 10 to 11, Evening Herald concert.
KGO, 10, Educational program; music.

11 to 12

KPO, 11 to 12, Musical program.
KHJ, 11 to 12, Examiner concert.
WDAF, 11:45, Nighthawk frolic.

A SMALL BLAZE SATURDAY NIGHT

A small grocery store belonging to a Mr. Kennedy on east Sumpter street, was completely destroyed by fire at 10:45 Saturday night. Mr. Kennedy states that he closed the store about 8:30 and went to Grossbeck and on returning found his store in ruins. There was no fire in the building and it is not known how the fire originated. The fire department kept the fire from spreading to the adjoining homes as the frame store was consumed by the flames in just a few minutes.

There was $2,000 insurance carried on the house, stock and fixtures.

ALL LIT UP

FORT WORTH, Texas, June 28.—Ships that pass in the night over Texas hereafter will be guided by a beacon light on top the mooring mast at the government helium plant here.

Texas Is Harvesting A Bumper Wheat Crop

ABILENE, June 30.—With the grain harvest in full blast, a bumper crop is being threshed in the Abilene territory according to reports from various parts of this section. Wheat is yielding from 20 to 50 bushels to the acre and is testing from 60 to 61 pounds. One farmer is reported to have made 53 bushels to the acre.

George Preston threshed 1500 bushels of barley from 14 acres of land, a yield of 107 bushels to the acre.

Mr. Claud King returned yesterday from a week's vacation.

Miss Ida Belle Hunt and mother, have returned from Dallas, where they have been visiting for several days.

Rough Dry.

MEXIA-WACO TRUCK LINE
I WILL HAUL ANYTHING—TRIPS MADE TUESDAY — THURSDAY — SATURDAY
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PHONE 42

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Tidwell Feed & Fuel Company
300 North R. R. St., Phone 52—We Deliver.

Must Have Carried A Rabbit's Foot

A man giving his name as Earle Burleston had a miraculous escape from death Sunday afternoon at the Commerce street crossing of the H. & T. C. railroad. Burleston attempted to catch a freight train after it had attained a terrific speed, his body was thrown against the car making him loose his hold and drop off under the car. Not one of the spectators can figure how he ever got from under the wheels, but in some way he kicked himself from between the rails just before the rear wheels of the car passed. His shirt was torn completely from his back and he was covered with cuts and bruises. He was carried to the hospital by a passing motorist where his wounds were dressed.

A REGULAR BUSINESS WITH THIS MEXIA BANK

Monday the City National Bank of Mexia declared its regular semi-annual dividend of 5 per cent, and checks are being mailed out to the stockholders. This has been a regular business with this bank since it opened its doors less than three years ago.

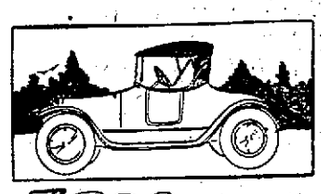
Patterson's Column

THIS THEN today is about
* * *
J. C. (Cliff Cobb and his
* * *
AMUSEMENT enterprises at the
* * *
RE-UNION GROUNDS
* * *
HE HAS taken over a good thing
* * *
AND HAS made it better still
* * *
UNTIL TODAY the Reunion
* * *
OPEN AIR swimming pool
* * *
COMPARES favorably with any
* * *
POOL ANYWHERE
* * *
THE WATER is clean and very
* * *
PLENTIFUL AND of just the
* * *
RIGHT TEMPERATURE for out
* * *
DOOR BATHING and under charge
* * *
OF A competent manager every
* * *
DETAIL IS loked after so those
* * *
WHO LOVE to swim may rest assured
* * *
THAT NOTHING will be left undone
* * *
THAT MAY add to their comfort
* * *
AND SAFETY
* * *
THE WRITER first met Cliff Cobb
* * *
SOME YEARS ago and is not
* * *
SURPRISED THAT the crowds grow
* * *
STEADILY LARGER at this fine
* * *
RESORT SINCE he took it over
* * *
FOR HE never does things by
* * *
HALVES
* * *
HIS AGGRESSIVE advertising is
* * *
BRINGING HUNDREDS of out of
* * *
TOWN PLEASURE seekers to and
* * *
THROUGH MEXIA every week and
* * *
MR. COBB justly deserves the fine
* * *
SUPPORT MEXIA is giving him
* * *
IF YOU have not been out for a
* * *
PLUNGE SUPPOSE you try it some
* * *
TIME
* * *
CLIFF COBB like a lot of other
* * *
LIVE WIRES uses a Patterson
* * *
PHONOGRAPH AND puts Patterson
* * *
JEWELRY ON his wife and
* * *
DAUGHTER WHICH is still another
* * *
EVIDENCE OF good judgment
* * *
I THANK you.
* * *
—PATTERSON—

PITTMAN-McADAMS

Last Saturday night about 9 o'clock Mr. W. D. Pittman and Mrs. Linda McAdams drove up in front of Rev. E. E. Rogers' home on East Sumpter street and had that divine tie the knot that made them man and wife. They then drove off and took the night train for the south, and will visit points in Louisiana before returning home to receive the congratulations of their many friends here.

Miss Maggie Clark has returned from a few days visit in Austin.


A TOP for every style car
NEED A NEW TOP FOR THE SUMMER?
Then you can't do better than drive down to my place and let me fix you up.
I have a good line of material from which you can make your selection and at prices which are right.
And I do upholstering. Can handle the job on any kind of car.
Give me a trial and you will have no regrets.
R. G. McDONNELL
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FIFTY YEARS AGO

The Dallas News' "50 Years Ago" column contains this item, which is of interest to the people of this section:

State News.

Houston.—The Hon. John H. Reagan is at the Hutchins House tonight, as is also Benjamin Lambard, a wealthy Chicago banker, who has bought a large tract of land at Tehuacana, intending there to build a town.

Dr. W. C. McKnight has just returned from a motor trip into old Mexico and up and down both sides of the Rio Grande from Brownwood to San Antonio. He has not fully recovered from the sun burns yet but says he will be alright in a few days. He says that his thermometer registered as high as one hundred and thirty during some of his trips thru the cane breaks.

Mrs. Maurice Finney, on South Belknap has as her guests for several weeks, her sister, Miss McDonald, and Miss Cordell, from Fort Smith, Ark.

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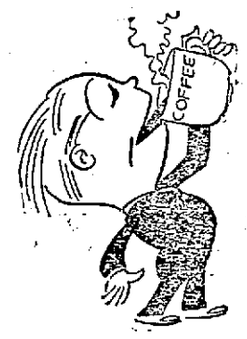
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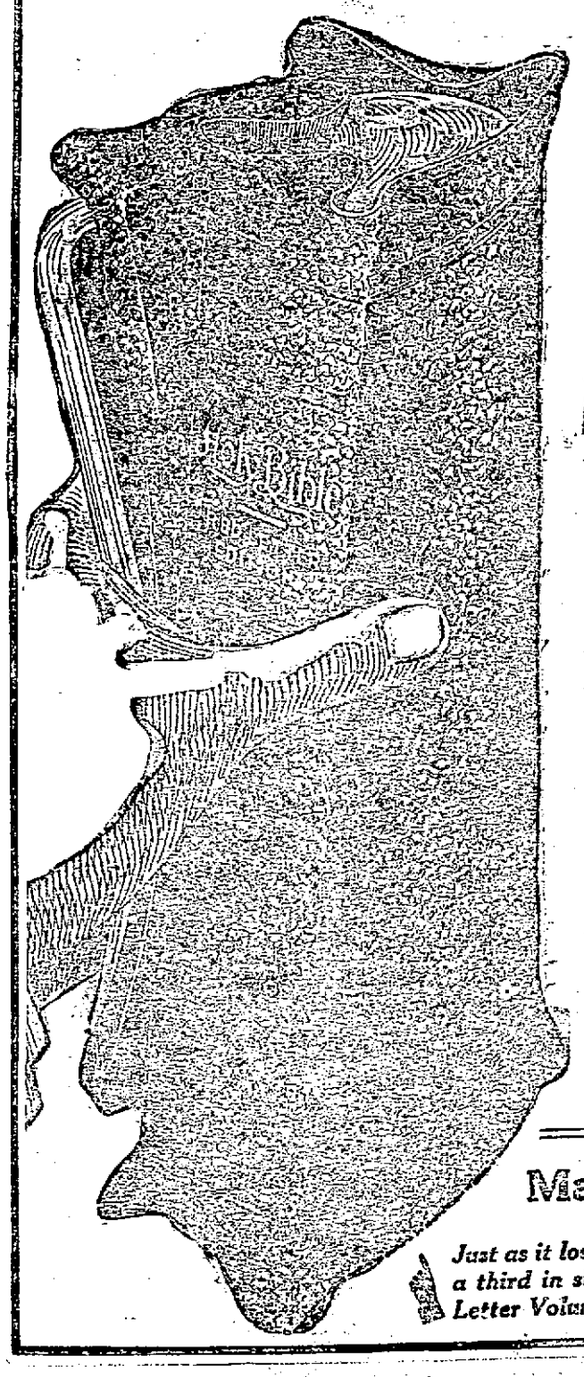
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